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WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 27, 1871.

Christmas Tree.

The Christmas Tree entertainment of the Second Baptist Sunday School will come off at the Second Baptist Church this evening at seven o'clock.

The Barn in which John Wilkes Booth was Killed.

Mr. Lewis has presented in the Senate a petition from Richard H. Garrett, of Caroline county, Virginia, asking compensation to the amount of $2,525 for his barn and goods destroyed by Colonel Baker to effect the capture of John Wilkes Booth and D. C. Harrold, in 1865. Booth and Harrold, it will be remembered, were concealed in Garrett's barn, and it was destroyed by fire in order to get them.

Georgia News Items.

[CONDENSED FOR THE CONSTITUTION.]

The negro Reuben Warren, confined in the jail in Sparta for committing a robbery from the house of Mr. William Dickson, endeavored on Sunday last to make his escape, and would have succeeded had his plans not been so timely discovered by the jailor. He had almost succeeded in making an apperture in the wall sufficiently large for a man to crawl through. On Wednesday night of last week Major Burnett, Postmaster at Sparta, died. He was a good and highly esteemed citizen. Steps have been taken to secure a post office at Mt. Zion. We have had a call from a colored citizen of Liberia, who is now visiting at Sparta. He exhibited the Constitution of that Republic, and several interesting relics belonging to that remote country. Since writing the above we are informed that Reuben Warren has made his escape from the Sparta jail.—*Southern Times and Planter.*

Foreign News Items.

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England has 32,623 breweries.

Amzillian turtles weigh seven hundred pounds.

The Japanese make a paper which bears any amount of soaking without injury.

Primary instruction is made compulsory for every inhabitant of the Turkish Empire.

More than 600,000,000 of steel pens are manufactured in Sheffield, England, annually.

In Manila 25,000 women and girls work at cigar making at average wages of seven cents per day.

A Lady's journal is announced in London, its contents to consist solely of births, deaths and marriages.

General News Items.

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"Saffron hued angel of death" is what Mississippians call the yellow fever.

Rushville, Indiana, wants a freshet to wash away the dirt, a big revival of business, and more quinine.

A small pox flag hoisted at the gateway of his orchard saved a Rhode Island farmer's fruit from thieves.

A Georgian in New York, seeing a lady driving and her groom with folded arms behind, thought "that nigger must pay that nice looking girl a pile to drive his carriage for him."

Mr. Jones, of Chicago, fell down a pair of stairs, a few days ago, and Mr. Bevins said that it was a better proof of the descent of man than any Darwin had given.

Miscellaneous News Items.

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The congressional library contains 235,000 volumes.

The average depth of the Atlantic ocean is estimated at 25,000 feet.

Ninety-five gambling houses are kept in New York in open defiance of the police.

Agassiz believes that Niagara Falls will wear away in just eleven thousand years.

The total indebtedness of the State of Louisiana is upward of $14,000,000. Ethiopian legislation.

Louisiana lawyers are reveling in fees. The bad crops of the present year have caused an immense amount of suing.

Some of the iron columns on the Boston new post office building, are thirty-three feet high and weigh over twelve thousand pounds each.

Little Things is the name of a 16 page monthly edited, printed and published by a family of girls named Lukins, at Briton, Pennsylvania.

MIXED SCHOOLS.—Within a very few days, a school teacher in the State of New York has been dismissed for mixing white and colored pupils in one of the public schools. The people of that loyal State, where the colored element is but an atom in the great aggregate of the school population, see the impracticability of a mixing of races in social relationship. Here, in the District of Columbia an attempt is again made to thrust this miserable hobby upon our people. In our Legislature Monday, a resolution was introduced, looking to the inauguration of the mixed school system in our midst.

There have been whisperings for weeks past of this matter, and the resolution introduced is the looked-for result of the assumption by the Auditor of the District of a power above the acts of Congress, and in defiance of the law of the District, to withhold from the trustees of colored schools their quota of the school fund. Having accomplished the object at which he aimed—the effort to mix the schools—Mr. Richards now backs out of his position, and gives the colored schools what they are justly entitled to.—*Washington Patriot.*

MORE CENTRALIZING IDEAS.—In a leading Republican paper of one of the Northern cities, we find this remarkable emanation, the part in italics surely puzzling us:

General Butler is examining the subject of State indebtedness, its magnitude and prospective increase. He considers that the practice of State governments of carrying on improvements, and assuming additional debts therefor, is one which bids fair to assume such importance as to demand the notice of the Federal Government. Especially would this intervention be required, he thinks, in case the United States foreign relations become seriously disturbed. *Of course, there is no authority now for the Federal Government to interfere with the right of a State in this particular*, but it is doubtful if the people are ready to take this additional step towards centralization. The question has arisen, however, and it is reported that Butler intends to bring the matter up during this session of Congress.

THE TELEGRAPHIC GIRDLE AROUND THE EARTH.—Senator Chandler has left for inspection at the Executive Mansion, about forty specimens of various-sized cables, intended for the connection of lines in the Pacific Islands and China. Two routes are proposed from the United States to Japan, one by way of the Sandwich Islands and the other by way of the Aleutian Islands. One connecting at the head of the Japan sea; the other at [illegible] China, at the southern point of the Yellow sea. A third line is proposed from the Sandwich Islands to Australia. The completion of these will complete a telegraphic girdle around the earth.

It is said of Ethen Allen that he once attended a church where the minister made an estimate, the result of which was that out of the whole human race, not more than one in a thousand would be saved. On the announcement of this result, Allen took his hat and walked out, saying as he went: "Gentlemen, if any of you want my chance, you're welcome to it. It is not worth stay-

Warwick Castle—A Curiosity Lost and Saved.

The destruction of Warwick castle, in England, a few days ago, by fire, has attracted much attention both in Europe and this country. The building was historical. Commenced in the time of William the Conqueror, it has figured in all the dynasties of the British empire. A correspondent gives the following interesting account of the curiosities of all contained in the building—what were lost and what saved:

The art treasures that have been so allowed up by the fire never can be replaced. Pictures by Holbein, Vandyke, Sir Joshua Reynolds, Romney and Sir Peter Lely, by Murillo, Titian, Raphael and Rubens were among the glories of the place, and many of these have been consumed. In the armory was one of the finest collections of early weapons in the world.

A helmet of one of Xerxes' soldiers and the iron skull-cap of Oliver Cromwell; arms from Bosworth and from Flodden; revolvers of the Fifteenth Century, and mitrailleurs of an earlier date; ancient armor of every successive epoch; and innumerable standards and trophies falling to dust with time, but still glorious in their antiquity and associations, have been blotted out forever. Besides these, a noble library, rich in mediæval literature, is lost, together with quantities of priceless tapestry, of Limoges enamel, of elaborate French carving of the time of Louis XIV.—XVI.; while many pieces of sculpture, ancient and modern, have gone with the rest.

Some valuables were saved, among which are a famous table flowered with lapis lazuli, and once the property of Marie Antoinette; Vandyke's painting of Charles I. on horseback, attended by his equerry, considered the most valuable picture in the castle; the splendid tapestry that hung in Queen Anne's bedroom, and a considerable number of fine works by Guercino, Vandervelde, Rubens, Teniers, Caracci, and others. It appears that substantially, the interior of the private apartments the baronial hall and the banqueting hall, were totally destroyed; but that State departments and other portions of the castle were saved. No doubt the work of restoration will be attempted and worthily carried out.

Southern Life Policies.

An important decision has been rendered by Judge Blatchford in a suit growing out of the rebellion, brought by Peter Hamilton, executor of Duke W. Goodman, against the Mutual Life Insurance Company of this city. The action is brought to recover $5,000 on a life insurance policy issued to Mr. Goodman on the 24th of March, 1858. It was claimed by the defense that the policy ceased to exist on account of the non-payment of the annual premium on March 2, 1862, and that the previous payments were forfeited to the defendants. The plaintiffs concluded that the defendants, by withdrawing all of their agencies from Alabama, where Goodman resided, in March, 1862, prevented the payment by him of his annual premiums on the policy, and thereby waived such payments, all of which became due after the 16th of August, 1861, the act of the defendants having prevented the payments in Alabama, and the effect of the war being to make such payments in New York by Goodman unlawful. The Judge decided that the obligation of the company was not dissolved by the war, which necessarily resulted in interrupting communication with the South.

Judge Blatchford concluded that he had carefully considered all the views urged by the defendants, and that he was entirely satisfied that the plaintiff was entitled to a decree with costs.

There is ordered a reference before a master to take and state an account of the amount due on the policy, with interest, such an amount to be computed on the basis before stated, and the defendants to be allowed credit for the unpaid annual premiums.—*N. Y. Bulletin.*

More About Greeley's Arabic

Here is something reliable and fresh from an eye-witness of the incident, says the New York Post. Shortly after Horace Greeley had registered his name at the Indian Head House, Nashua, (whither the great philosopher's lecturing tour took him this fall,) a rather aged countryman came into the office and after examining the register, asked if Doctor B—— was in.

"There is no such person here," said the gentlemanly clerk.

"No such person here!" echoed the venerable rustic, taking off his spectacles and gazing into the face of the clerk with much incredulity and astonishment.

"No such person here," firmly re-echoed the clerk.

"Young man," exclaimed the other with a solemn expression of countenance—"young man, don't lie to me. It won't do. You can't fool old Gil Parks. Dr. B——'s been here as sure as guns, and pretty drunk, too, I reckon, for he's left one of them 'air Latin prescriptions of his on the register!"

And the Doctor's friend gazed down at Horace's improved Arabic with a look of triumphant recognition.

MASSACHUSETTS BUTLER.—Butler does not look like any other member of Congress, nor perhaps like any other man in America. He has a head and face and expression as peculiarly his own as if patent-righted. He is thick, stout, not above medium height, and carries the abdominal development of a New York alderman. His legs are thin, and look too weak for his full, thick, round, jolly body, and with his back to you there is that disproportion between his thin legs and thick body which remind one of two broom straws stuck into an Irish potato.

The whole top of his head is as bare of hair as a billiard ball, and as sleek and glossy-looking as the top of a well-rubbed britania tea-pot. On the back of his head, and running around to a point a little above the ears, is the remnants of what was once, no doubt, a fine head of hair, but in the rough battles of life—fighting the world, the flesh, the devil, the Democracy, and Farnsworth—it has nearly all been scraped off, and the wonder is that his scalp has not gone with it. *H. V. Redfield.*

☞ Foster Blodgett, the confederate of Bullock in the stupendous Georgia railroad frauds, instead of being on trial for his offences, has been knocking at the door of the United States Senate for admission as a member of that body, contesting the seat of Mr. Norwood, who was legally chosen by the Legislature of Georgia. The Committee on Privileges and Elections submitted a report signed by all the members but one declaring Mr. Norwood entitled to the seat, and plainly showing that Blodgett has no shadow of a claim to the position. The one man who was found to support the unfounded pretensions of this notorious representative of the worst class of carpet-bag plunderers was, as might have been expected, none other than Senator Morton, the chief adviser of General Grant.—*New York Sun.*

CAPITAL VS. LABOR.—A Boston workingman, who seems to have very little sympathy with the foolish twaddle said and written about workingmen's rights, sends to the Traveller the following toast, to be offered at the next workingmen's dinner: "Capital without labor is like faith without works—dead. Labor without capital is like works without faith—valueless. In the nature of things there is perfect harmony between them, and selfishness alone suggests any antagonism. Let capital beware lest it alienate labor. Let labor beware lest it cripple capital. Let capital say to labor, 'lend me thy hands;' and let labor reply, 'I will; but let me hold one of the strings of thy purse.'"

☞ There is a curious law in existence in Munich, which requires that every corpse, whatever the cause of death may be, shall be publicly exposed at the cemetery before the burial service can take place. The rigid features of the dead can be clearly seen through the broad windows of the room, their bodies elegantly draped and covered with flowers. In the right hand of each is a small cord that reaches upward to a bell. A watchman is always at hand. Burial alive is supposed to be impossible under this arrangement. The law has been enforced for hundreds of years, but there is no record of a life saved by it.

BY TELEGRAPH.

ASSOCIATED PRESS DISPATCHES.

WASHINGTON.

WASHINGTON, December 27.—An old cannon exploded near Seymour, Indiana, killing two, and mutilating one.

The Missouri Democrat has a special which narrates a raid on the negroes in Saline county, Missouri. A person just from there says he saw two hanging, and three dead in the road.

NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, December 27.—Yesterday as a coal train was approaching Lackawaxan a rock weighing nine tons fell on the track wrecking the engine and killing one man. Fifteen cars fell 40 feet into the river.

James W. Hackett, the veteran actor, is dangerously ill.

A Quebec dispatch says that a trunk left at the Grand Trunk Depot by some unknown person contained the body of a woman which was horribly mutilated.

The Tribune has information that Tweed has fled the country, or is skulking to avoid commitment.

Florence Farley has withdrawn from Tweed's bail.

The examination of property qualification on Tweed's bail is progressing.

The Herald's Matamoras special says: Monterey advices up to the 20th state that certain government officials have leagued with the revolutionists, and will turn the entire border over to the revolutionists.

OHIO.

CINCINNATI, December 27.—William S. Herbe, baggage master on the Pittsburg and Fort Wayne road, was arrested in charge of the corpse of Mrs. McCoy, who was taken from a Chicago assignation house. Poison or abortion is suspected.

PENNSYLVANIA.

PITTSBURG, December 27.—The residence of C. A. Woods, of Pittsburg, at Wheatland, was burned on Christmas day. Two servant girls, who were in the building, perished.

VERMONT.

RUTLAND, Decemeer 27.—Farmell and Lawrence, two saloon keepers in East Arlington, shot five persons—two dead and two fatally. Farmell and Lawrence have been arrested.

UTAH.

SALT LAKE, December 27.—Further reports of snow slides with loss of life have been received from the mining districts. The weather is very bad. It is snowing to-day.

FRANCE.

PARIS, December 27.—The Minister of the Interior, with the alleged approval of Thiers, is making more stringent regulations for checking the license of public journals.

Theirs spoke earnestly in the Assembly against the levying of an income tax.

Several prominent citizens in the Department of Ardennes have been arrested in consequence of quarrels with the Bavarians quartered there.

ENGLAND

SANDRINGHAM, December 27—noon.—The Prince of Wales passed a tranquil night, but his convalescence is much retarded by the painful affection of the left hip, accompanied by feverishness. There is no unquietude regarding the result, but his tardy convalescence defeates the proposed holiday rejoicings.

☞ Dr. Stuckley once waited upon Sir Isaac Newton a little before dinner time; but he had given orders not to be called down to anybody till his dinner was upon the table. At length a boiled chicken was brought in, and Stuckley waited till it was near cold, when, being very hungry, he ate it up, and ordered another to be prepared for Sir Isaac, who came down before the second was ready, and seeing the dish and cover of the first, which had been left, lifted up the latter, and turning to the doctor, said, "What funny folks we studious people are! I really forgot I had dined.—*University Monthly.*

☞ Boston is becoming liberalized. Her citizens now actually propose to name a new school house in honor of an esteemed actress. The Bostonians are justly proud of Charlotte Cushman, and, having built a school house upon the identical spot where, July 23, A. D. 1816, the tragic lady was born, they have ordained that the school house to be kept shall be called and known as the "Cushman School." Fifty years ago the people of this same city seriously proposed to crush out forever all theatrical representations.

THE WRIT.—The people of the State of New York to Matthew T. Brennan, Esq., Sheriff of the county of New York, greeting:

We command you that you have the body of William M. Tweed by you imprisoned and detained, as it is said, together with the time and cause of such imprisonment and detention, by whatsoever name the said William M. Tweed shall be called.

☞ A Brooklyn politician, in writing a letter of condolence to the widow of an associate, said: "I am sorry to hear that Harry has gone to Heaven. We were bosom friends, but now we shall never meet again."

Telegraphic Markets.

NEW YORK, December 27.—Cotton dull and nominal; middling uplands 20¼; Orleans 20½; sales 455 bales.

Sales for future delivery, last evening, 500 bales, as follows: February 20 1-16a 20¼. March 20½. April 20 11-16.

Flour dull and unchanged. Wheat quiet and unchanged. Corn quiet and unchanged. Pork dull; new $14 50. Lard steady. Turpentine quiet at 67a67½. Rosin dull at $5 00 for strained. Freights dull.

Stocks very strong and active. Gold very heavy at 8½a8¾. Governments dull and steady. States strong but dull. Money very tight at 7½. Exchange—long 9½; short 9¾.

LONDON, December 27, noon—Consols 92¼. Bonds 92¼.

PARIS, December 27, noon.—Rentes opened at 55f 32c.

LIVERPOOL, December 27, noon.—Cotton opened quiet; Uplands 9½a10; Orleans 10¼.

LATER—Cotton quiet; sales 10,000 bales; exports 2,000.

Local and Business Notices.

DON'T hawk, hawk, spit, spit, blow, blow, and disgust everybody with your Catarrh and its offensive odor, when Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy will speedily destroy all odor, and arrest the discharge.
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THAT STRANGE DEVICE.—

Of all the knotty questions
That human wisdom vex,
The toughest is, "What meaneth
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This secret wouldst unravel?
Plantation Bitters take,
And thou shalt be the wiser,
For thy sick stomach's sake.

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"A SLIGHT COLD," COUGHS.—Few are aware of the importance of checking a cough or "slight cold" which would yield to a mild remedy, if neglected, often attacks the lungs. "Brown's Bronchial Troches" give sure and almost immediate relief.
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THE BEST.—Dr. Price's Special Flavorings—they are true to their names—made from select fruits and aromatics—concentrated natural flavors; one trial will prove it.
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THE BONDS OF GEORGIA.

Official Notice to the Bond Holders.

An Act

To protect the people of the State of Georgia against the illegal and fraudulent issue of bonds and securities, and for other purposes connected with the same.

Whereas, Divers bonds, purporting to be bonds of the State of Georgia, and divers bonds bearing the indorsement of the State, have been issued and put in circulation by Rufus B. Bullock, late Governor of said State, and divers bonds issued prior to his administration, have been negotiated by him: And whereas, it is believed that a large portion of said bonds have been illegally and fraudulently issued and negotiated, and the extent and amount of said bonds so issued and negotiated is unknown to the General Assembly.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the State of Georgia, That there shall be a committee appointed of three, one by the President of the Senate, and two by the Speaker of the House of Representatives, who shall have full power and authority to examine and ascertain the number of bonds which have been issued as hereinbefore recited in the preamble of this act, and the aggregate amount thereof; and so far as they have been sold or hypothecated, by whom sold, the amount of money paid, to whom paid, when paid, for what purpose negotiated, and all other facts connected with the history of said bonds, and to report the same to the General Assembly at its next session.

Section 2. Be it further enacted, That said committee so appointed, be authorized and required to meet and sit in the city of Atlanta during a term not exceeding sixty days, commencing March 1, 1872, for the purpose named in the first section of this act, and said committee are hereby invested with full power and authority to examine witnesses under oath, to send for persons, books and papers, and to exercise such other power as may be necessary to carry into effect the provisions of this act.

Section 3. Be it further enacted, That it shall be the duty of said committee, immediately after their appointment to give notice of the time and place of sitting by publishing this preamble and act, at least two months prior to their sitting, in two newspapers in the city of Atlanta, two in the city of New York, two in the city of London, and one in the city of Frankfort.

Section 4. Be it enacted further, That all persons holding bonds of the State of Georgia, or bearing the indorsement of said State, issued since July, 1868, are hereby required to report the same to said committee for registration on or before the first day of April, 1872, and upon failure so to report said bonds, and to submit the same for registration, the same shall be deemed *prima facie* to have been illegally or fraudulently issued.

Section 5. Be it further enacted, That the Treasurer of said State, be, and he is hereby prohibited from paying any interest on any bonds issued, negotiated or indorsed by the State since the 4th day of July 1868, until said Committee shall have made their report and the General Assembly shall otherwise direct.

Section 6. Be it further enacted, That nothing contained in this act shall be so construed as to pledge the State of Georgia to the payment of any bonds issued or indorsed by the State since the 4th day of July, 1868, by reason of said bonds being registered as prescribed in this act, should it afterwards appear that the same have been illegally or fraudulently issued.

Section 7. Be it further enacted, That the Governor be and he is hereby authorized and required to draw his warrant upon the Treasury in favor of said committee or such persons as they may designate for an amount sufficient to defray the expenses of publishing this preamble, and such other printing as may be necessary to carry into effect the provisions of this act.

Section 8. Be it further enacted, That all laws and parts of laws militating against this act be and the same are hereby repealed.

L. N. TRAMMELL,
President of the Senate.
T. W. J. HILL,
Secretary of the Senate.
JAMES M. SMITH,
Speaker House of Representatives.
J. D. WADDELL,
Clerk House of Representatives.

IN SENATE, December 9th, 1871.

Notwithstanding the veto of His Excellency, the Governor, this bill has this day passed the Senate by a Constitutional vote of two-thirds, being yeas 25, nays 10.

L. N. TRAMMELL,
President of the Senate.
W. A. LITTLE, pro tem,
Secretary of the Senate.

IN HOUSE, December 9, 1871.

Notwithstanding the veto of his Excellency the Governor, this bill has this day passed the House of Representatives by a constitutional vote of two-thirds, being yeas 117, nays 20.

JAMES M. SMITH,
Speaker House Representatives.
L. CARRINGTON,
Clerk House Representatives *pro tem.*

OFFICE SECRETARY OF STATE,
ATLANTA, GA., December 12, 1871.

The above and foregoing four pages of written matter contain a true and correct copy of the original on file in this office.

Given under my hand and the seal of office.

DAVID G. COTTING,
Secretary of State.

To all whom it may concern:

Notice is hereby given, that we, the undersigned joint committee, appointed by the President of the Senate and Speaker of the House of Representatives, under authority of the foregoing act of the General Assembly of Georgia, will begin our sittings in the city of Atlanta, State of Georgia, United States of America, on the first day of March, 1872, and will remain in session until the first day of May, 1872, for the purposes indicated in said act.

The attention of persons owning or holding the bonds of the State of Georgia, or the bonds of railroads indorsed by the State of Georgia, and who expect to present the same to the committee, is called to the first section of said act, as to the nature of the testimony required.

Persons desiring to communicate with the committee will address Thomas J. Simmons, Chairman, care of N. L. Angier, State Treasurer, Atlanta, Ga.

Signed at the Capitol, in the city of Atlanta, State of Georgia, United States of America, the 12th day of December, 1871.

THOMAS J. SIMMONS,
On the part of the Senate and Chairman of Joint Committee.
GARNETT MCMILLAN,
JOHN I. HALL,
On the part of the House.

ATLANTA, GA., Dec. 14, 1871.

The special committee of the General Assembly of the State of Georgia, appointed under a joint resolution, assented to December 1, 1871, to investigate "the management of the Western and Atlantic Railroad and the management of its finances, with that which goes to show the fraudulent use or embezzlement of any funds or property of the State, or the wrongful conversion thereof to the use of individuals, and by him and for whose benefit it was done," will meet for the purpose of said investigation at the room of the Attorney General in the capitol building, on Wednesday, the 31st of January next. All persons who may be in possession of any facts which may help said committee in the investigation they are required to make, are requested to give notice of the same to the undersigned at the office of Hill & Candler, in James' Building, Whitehall street, in this city.

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dec5—d3m GEO. E. TERRY, Proprietor.

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TO our numerous patrons that we are now ordering from
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Our stock of
GARDEN SEED
for the coming season. Merchants can secure as FAVORABLE PRICES of us as from New York or Philadelphia seed Houses.
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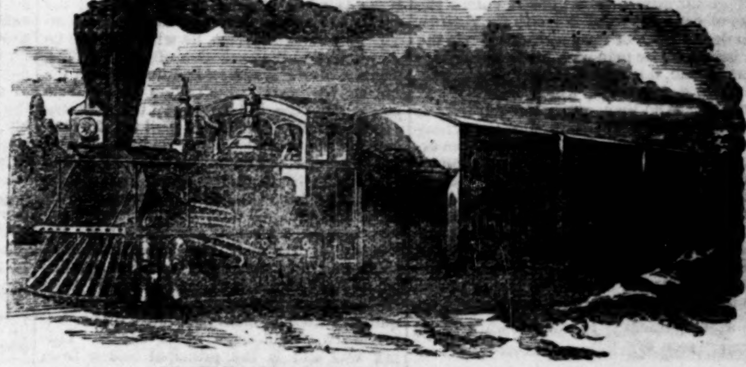

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JUNIUS HILLYER.
dec19-d1m

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july16-dly

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april19—d1m

NOTICE

ATLANTA, GA., DECEMBER 19th, 1871.

THE Committee appointed under a joint resolution of the two Houses of the General Assembly of Georgia, assented to November, 1871, to investigate the official conduct of Rufus B. Bullock, late Governor, will meet in the room of the President of the Senate, in the Capitol building, at 10 o'clock, A. M., on Tuesday, the second day of January, 1872, to take testimony.

Any one in possession of information touching the sale or disposition of Bonds, or any other subject within the purview of the resolution above referred to, which will [illegible] committee, will confer a favor by communicating by letter, with Col. [illegible] the Committee, at Atlanta, Georgia.

JOHN C. NICHOLLS, Chairman.
dec14—dtil jan 2 1872.

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Western and Atlantic Railroad Auditing Committee.

The joint committee appointed by the General Assembly at its recent session, to investigate the conduct of the Auditing Committee of the Western and Atlantic Railroad, will meet at the capitol in Atlanta on the 2d of January next.

All communications for said committee should be addressed

L. C. HOYLE, Chairman,
Atlanta, Ga.

Bullock and the Washington Chronicle.

Among Bullock's other rememberable feats, the easiest, perhaps, was the purchase of the championship of the Washington Chronicle at forty cents a line for editorial. The virtuous tirades of that paper against Georgia, the ingenious fabrication of slanders upon our peaceful people, and the fervent encomiums upon Bullock lost some of their weight when it was found that they were inspired by pay.

Senator Tipton must have made some allusion to those times, as we find this paragraph in an editorial in the Chronicle:

The remarks of Mr. Tipton in the Senate yesterday impel us to say:

First. Not one of the present proprietors of the Chronicle had an interest of a single dollar in the Chronicle when the Bullock affair transpired. We object to having its shadow thrown across our path. We claim nothing of the good done by the Chronicle previous to January 1, 1871, and that was much. We also decline to bear the responsibility for the bad, if such there was.

The Address of the Democratic State Senators.

We call the attention of our readers to this very excellent paper. It is an unanswerable explanation of the leading acts of the late General Assembly.

The most important point in the paper is the statement of the reasons for holding the session beyond the constitutional term and the scathing rebuke of the Acting Governor, for his most dangerous attempt to over-ride the constitutional privilege of the Assembly to prolong its session in the proper constitutional manner.

This assertion of a constitutional right was absolutely necessary. To have suffered the absurd and despotic exercise of authority by Mr. Conley to have passed unresisted, would have been an unpardonable concession.

We commend the address alike for its good spirit and ability.

Chicago.

The Chicago Tribune has made a correct estimate of Chicago's losses by the late fire. The total area burned was 2,124 acres or three and a third square miles. There were 17,450 buildings destroyed, and 98,500 persons were rendered homeless. Of these 250 were burned to death. The property destroyed valued $196,000,000. Adding the depreciation of property, the total loss was $290,000,000 out of $620,000,000, the whole value of Chicago, or close on to one-half.

Of the loss $53,000,000 were buildings, $74,700,000 business stocks, and $58,710,000 personal effects.

The total insurance was $100,000,000, or a third of the loss, of which only $40,000,000 are collectible. Seventy per cent. of the buildings was left, or 42,000. The population was 334,270, of which over 50,000 left the city.

Of buildings 50 per cent. in value was burned; of lumber and grain, 26 per cent; of fuel, 50 per cent; of merchandize, 70 per cent.

One month after the fire the population and property were equal to what they were in 1868. So the big fire put Chicago back three years.

Our Bonds.

Five gold bonds of the State, issued to the Brunswick and Albany Railroad, and advertised in THE CONSTITUTION to be sold at public outcry by Col. Adair, brought $650 for the $5,000.

The instance is suggestive. Bullock has left the whole batch of our State securities tainted, and practically worthless by his issue of illegal securities. It touches not only the State but every holder of a sound bond. The good securities suffer with the bad ones. The taint extends to all. How necessary then it is for the protection of all parties that a full searching exhaustive inquiry be made into the whole matter, to sift the bad from the good.

Parties have obtained invalid bonds for little or nothing. The have probably been peddled out as a corruption fund to the State's injury.

How far this thing has gone can only be found out by patient inquiry. It is an extraordinary state of affairs in which the nicest judgment and most unsparing vigilance is needed to settle the troubles.

We trust, in view of the lesson of this sale that we shall hear no more from the bond ring about repudiation. There is but one inference. The man who misconstrues an act of inquiry into repudiation is one of the plunderers.

Let us look the situation calmly in the face. Let the committee find the facts, and then let the Legislature act with all the lights in the manner needed for the preservation of the State's interest and honor.

An English Detective.

The New York World has a very interesting account of a famous detective in England. This business has become a very large and important one, both in this country and Europe, and a very large amount of brains and pluck is employed in it.

The English detective is thus described:

"Pollaky, the spy, instead of being a keen-eyed, thin-faced, deep-browed man, with a glance that is in itself a whole process of cross-examination, and with a step and manner compounded of the characteristics of the fox and the cat, was a young man of a singularly open countenance and frank address, not unfashionably dressed, and more like a lounger at a West-end club than the chief of a secret organization.

The following statement of Pollaky will be of interest to our Confederate sailors:

But during your great civil war in America I was largely employed by the Northern government in keeping a watch on the Confederate cruisers building in British ports, and on the arrival and departure of Confederate agents. A good deal of the information that tended to strengthen your case for the Alabama claims was derived from me; and I may fairly say that I have prevented the sailing of more rebel vessels than your war frigates have stopped or sunk.

C.—Were you aided in these enterprizes by the American police?

Mr. P.—Of course; and had it been necessary, I could have counted on them to any extent. The American police service is very well organized.

The philosophical Pollaky winds up his revelations in this interesting manner:

I am amazed in spite of myself at the mysteries that lie underneath the surface of life—bewildered by the play of plot and passion that goes on in the heart and brain of man without ever showing the least trace of itself in the written drama or romance to which the world looks for a knowedge of itself. Its effect upon me is wearisome to a degree, and a man with my experience would need no homilies to keep him in the right path, for he would be held back from the wrong one by a sheer disgust with his every-day association of vice. In my position I am obliged to see the dreadful "after" of every seemingly successful stroke of knavery and wrong, and my experiences, if they even could be written (but they never can be) would form the best guide to good morals extant.

The One Term President Policy.

Mr. Sumner's resolution to amend the Federal Constitution so as to forbid any man being President a second term is on the calendar. It is a long thing. It has many whereases. It quotes Andrew Jackson, who said it was necessary to secure a strict line of constitutional duty. It quotes William Henry Harrison, who declared it was needed to prevent misrule to the country. It quotes Henry Clay, who declared that it was required to prevent the occupation of the first in securing a re-election from which the public business suffers. It quotes Daniel Webster, who announced that it was one of the fundamental principles of the Whig party. It quotes that old political coquette Ben Wade, who avers that it is rare to elect a man who has not used his vast power to be re-elected. It quotes that fine French writer, De Tocqueville, who puts the point thus admirably:

"Intrigue and corruption are vices natural to elective governments, but when the chief of the government can be re-elected, those vices extend indefinitely and compromise even the existence of the country. When a single candidate seeks success by intrigue, his manuvers can operate only over a circumscribed space; when, on the contrary, the chief of the government himself enters the ranks of candidates, he borrows for his own purpose the force of the government. In the first case it is one man with his feeble means; in the second, it is the government itself, with its immense resources, which intrigues and corrupts." And then, again, the same great writer, who had studied our country so closely, testifies it is impossible to consider the ordinary course of affairs in the United States without perceiving that the desire to re-elected dominates the thoughts of the President; that all the policy of his administration tends to this point; that his best movements are subordinated to this object; that in proportion as the moment of the crisis approaches individual interest substitutes itself in his mind for the general interest.

The amendment is meeting with a good deal of favor, especially as Grants case is excepted.

The Most Sensational Thing Yet.

What won't the press do next? The last big thing reported is by the New York Herald. Its issue of the 22d contains a full page account of a reporter who organized an expedition about a year ago to hunt up Dr. Livingstone, the great African Explorer. The Herald resolved to find him out, and report him or his bones. It got up a young army of one hundred or more people, spent eight thousand dollars in making preparations, bought arms and stores, etc. The expedition had penetrated over five hundred miles into the wilds of Africa. It has been drowned in marshes, decimated by pestilences, starved by famine, fleeced and ducked and tormented. It has arrived in Unyanyembe.

The reporter writes that he is on the track of Livingstone. He had heard of the great traveler being about Ujiji; that he was very old, very fat, had a long white beard, was a great eater, was reported dead, was reported not dead, and the reporter meant to keep on until he met him.

The Herald is very much tickled over its enterprise, as it should be if it has done all it says it has. If true, it is certainly a remarkable instance of private newspaper enterprise.

DEMOCRATIC LEGISLATIVE ADDRESS.

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A Strong and Able Paper.

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To the People of Georgia:

FELLOW CITIZENS—As Senators in the present General Assembly, we submit to you through the press, a brief history of the proceedings of that body at its late session and the reasons for its action on certain measures now laws, notwithstanding the veto of the acting Governor. We do this because we have been acting for you, and feel that you should know *all*. And many things which have been done and the reasons for their doing you could learn in no other manner. Only one day before the meeting of the Legislature in November last, Rufus B. Bullock, justly fearing impeachment for his many crimes committed against the Constitution and laws of this State, which he had sworn to maintain and obey, resigned his office of Governor, and the Hon. Benjamin Conley, the then President of the Senate, according to the provision of our Constitution, having first taken the proper oath, commenced to exercise the functions of the Executive Department of our Government. These events met the representatives of the people upon their assembling at the Capitol, and necessarily produced much excitement and confusion. How Mr. Conley should be treated after the organization of the two Houses, when his office of President of the Senate had ceased, was a grave question. Was he to be treated as Governor of the State for the unexpired term of Rufus B. Bullock, or as an usurper of this great office? While a large majority of the Representatives in both branches of the General Assembly believed, as they still do, that the right and duty of exercising the functions of Governor when that officer had resigned or had been removed from his office were simply incidents of another office, that of President of the Senate, until the vacancy in the office of Governor could be filled in the manner pointed out by the Constitution—an election by the people, yet is was agreed, in order to preserve the peace of the State, that Mr. Trammell, President of the Senate, should not qualify as Governor, and that Mr. Conley, Ex-President of the Senate, should remain undisturbed until an election by the people could be had in pursuance of the Constitution. This was a concession which should forever suppress all clamor about the revolutionary designs of the Democratic party in Georgia, considering that the Constitution, in terms of the plainest character, declares that the President of the Senate shall exercise the Executive powers of the Government in case of the resignation of the Governor—not that one who has been such President and ceased to be such shall exercise the duties of the Executive Department.

This determination having been formed and executed it is necessary to say a word on the right to have an election now so strongly disputed by Mr. Conley and his friends. Have we such a right, or is it true that Mr. Conley can legally exercise the functions of Governor until January, 1873? The right to an election arises from a provision of the Constitution in these words: "The General Assembly shall have power to provide by law for filling unexpired terms by a special election." If a bill providing for a special election to fill the unexpired term of Rufus B. Bullock has been passed by both branches of the General Assembly, has been vetoed by the acting Governor, has been passed by a constitutional majority over the veto, the requisites of the Constitution have been complied with. The right to make provisions for filling unexpired terms is not restricted to a provision in advance of the vacancy but covers all cases either by general law before a vacancy happens or by special law after such vacancy occurs. The first important action of the Legislature which incurred the hostility of the acting Governor was the resolution to suspend the 20th section of the Appropriation bill, which had been used under the title of the "india rubber clause," to spend over $50,000 on newspapers, nearly the same on lawyers, and a very large sum, many thousands of dollars, on real and pretended captors of felons. The acting Governor assumed the ground, though inconsistently with his previous opinion, as he, while in the Senate, had joined in suspending tax laws by resolution, that a law could not be suspended by resolution. It will be seen by reference to the case of Jones vs. The Macon and Brunswick Railroad Company (39 Georgia Reports, page 138) that in the opinion of the highest legal tribunal in the State a resolution may be used to suspend the provisions of a law. On account of the time which might be consumed in discussing this first veto, and the facility with which the same object might be otherwise accomplished, the Senate referred this veto message to a committee from which no report was ever made. The second measure which called forth from the acting Governor a veto message was the bill to provide for an election to fill the unexpired term of Rufus B. Bullock, a measure proposed by the Democratic party in a spirit of peace, to preserve the quiet of the State, and to avoid any claim for Federal interference. This measure, though vetoed by Mr. Conley, was nevertheless passed by a constitutional majority over the veto, and is now the law of the land, and however it may be treated by law-breakers, will receive from all good citizens that respect and obedience due to the law. We hope, under the circumstances attending the passage of this bill, that the Acting Governor having already contested the matter with the General Assembly and been defeated in a constitutional mode will make no further contest when the result of the election is announced, but will surrender the office of Governor to him whom the people have selected to hold it. If Mr. Conley will observe the oath which was administered to him when he entered upon the duties of the Executive Office, he will surrender the office. If he is a law abiding citizen, desiring the welfare of the State, and that "law and order" may reign supreme, he will interpose no obstruction to the execution of the law. The third measure which called forth from the Acting Governor an exercise of the veto power was the bill to repeal the laws suspending a collection of the poll tax for several years past. The Radical party, which for the last three years has ruled and ruined the State, in order to preserve its power, had from time to time suspended the collection of a poll tax, claiming that such suspension operated to destroy the validity of the poll tax levied for such years, and thus relieve their many deluded colored adherents who had not paid their taxes from the ban of the constitutional requirement which makes payment of taxes a necessary qualification of an elector. This tax was, and is the principal source from which to raise a fund for common schools, and though pretending to be the especial friend to common schools, the Radical party had illegally used its power (for a partisan purpose as shown already) to prevent the collection of this tax, and thereby strangle the common schools. The Democratic Legislature honestly endeavoring to carry out the constitutional requirement to promote common schools, and to cause the right of suffrage to be respected and appreciated by the voters of the State, very early in the session determined to act fully and fairly on this matter, and when the veto of the acting Governor came in, the bill, notwithstanding his veto, was made a law in the manner pointed out by the Constitution. So now, this matter is settled, and the teachers of common schools will feel that a part, at least, of their just dues will be regularly and certainly paid, and the voters of the State will feel that the privilege of voting, electing rulers, and legislators, and officers depends upon a prompt payment of the poll tax. The fourth measure of the General Assembly which incurred the hostility of Mr. Conley, acting Governor, was the bill to repeal the act organizing the District Court. This justly odious court, which the Radical party had fastened on particular districts of the State, Mr. Conley exerted all his strength to perpetuate. Incompetent Judges and State's Attorneys, and the enormous cost of the court in the amount paid to District Judges and Solicitors, were the reasons, and amply sufficient they were, for the abolition of this court.

To veto a measure ridding the oppressed and poverty-stricken people of the State of a court unsuited to their circumstances, and overwhelming them with taxes, seems to us most extraordinary.

In this veto, as also in several others, the acting Governor abandoned the usual grounds of Executive veto, and in a role peculiar to himself, has encroached upon matters entirely of legislative discretion.

The fifth measure of the Legislature which the acting Governor vetoed was the bill to reduce the pay of members from nine to seven dollars per day. When we consider that Mr. Conley, without any scruples, has, from his excess of patriotism served the State 328 days, exclusive of this session of the Legislature, at the modest sum of $12 00 per day, making the amount received by him for fastening the District Court upon the people, and all those equally obnoxious laws passed in 1868, 1869 and 1870, $3,936, this veto places him in a most ridiculous attitude. His veto of this bill was in part founded on the idea that as the existing law enacted by himself and his friends gave members of the Legislature nine dollars per day, the per diem of the members could not be reduced by the men entitled to receive it. Verily a Solon has arisen among us and a Daniel come to judgment!!

The sixth and last measure of the Legislature which Mr. Conley, for the time being exercising the functions of Governor, endeavored by his veto to defeat, was the famous bond bill. This bill requires all persons holding funds of the State issued since 1868 to report the same to a special commission for registration before the first of April, 1872, and if such holders fail so to do, said bonds are to be deemed *prima facie* illegal and fraudulent. It also requires the commission to examine into the transfer of said bonds, how they are held, and upon what consideration; and also prohibits the Treasurer of the State from paying interest on said bonds until the further order of the Legislature. The 5th section, which contains the clause last cited, excited the special opposition of Mr. Conley and *his friends, the bond holders*. He and they desired the interest paid on all bonds issued since 1868, and registered in the Comptroller General's office. They claimed that such action was necessary in order to sustain the credit of Georgia. The Democratic Legislature passed this bill over the acting Governor's veto, believing it absolutely necessary to protect the bona fide holders of regularly issued State bonds, and to preserve the tax-payers of the State from utter ruin. It was known to the leading Democrats in both branches of the General Assembly that one banker in New York, Russell Sage, held for an advance of $375,000 00, at least one million dollars in Georgia bonds; that the confederates of Bullock and Kimball (Henry Clews & Co.), for advances and payments with a large amount of usury, amounting to nearly $1,700,000 00, held $2,500,000 00 of Georgia bonds; that Bullock himself had declared that $900,000 00 of the bonds held by Clews were invalid, and $500,000 00 of those held by Russell Sage were of a similar nature; and that other large holders of Georgia bonds had only advanced partially on the bonds held by them. With such knowledge, how could the Legislature, with any show of justice, allow these bondholders to collect interest on the amounts named in the bonds? How could they have acted otherwise to have protected the bona fide creditors of the State, and the tax-payers, than to have required the holders of bonds, issued during a period when fraud was abroad in the land, and rogues and swindlers filled the high offices of the State to come forward and show in what manner and upon what consideration these bonds were in their possession. In addition to all this, it was well known that Bullock had fled the State because he had issued $1,800,000 of gold bonds to Kimball & Co. for the benefit of the Brunswick and Albany Railroad in defiance of the Constitution and the laws made by his own Radical Legislature. In our opinion, if the Legislature had not passed this bill over Mr Conley's veto it would have merited universal execration. We believe if the Legislature had passed no other bill than this, and had consumed the whole 45 days in so doing, it should receive the commendation of the people. A rigid adherence to the provisions of this bill will save the burthened tax payers of the State from that ruin which a few short weeks since was staring them in the face. Besides these measures so necessary to the welfare of the people, the Legislature in a short session of 45 days, passed many important general laws and more local laws than were ever before matured and passed in the same period of time. The new Constitution having thrown upon the Ordinaries of the several counties of the State the whole county business, it had been in some places neglected, in some used for base purposes, and in others had overwhelmed the Ordinary by its amount and character. To alter this state of things required much special legislation.

Then much special legislation was needed for the cities, towns and villages to enable them to preserve peace and order in the State. We think that the Legislature has not only merited the commendation of the people for the acts enumerated, but for its assertion and maintenance against the acting Executive of the invaluable right to continue its session without the consent of the Governor beyond the forty days allowed by the Constitution. When the acting Governor, on the day before the expiration of the forty days allowed by the Constitution for the length of a session unless continued by a two-thirds vote, notified the Legislature that he, only allowed to hold his office for a few short weeks for the sake of peace, would not recognize your representatives as the Legislature of Georgia after 12 P. M. on Sunday night, then the representatives could only prove recreant to the people by yielding to Mr. Conley, or maintain the rights of the General Assembly and remain in session (having first continued the session beyond the forty days in the manner pointed out by the Constitution) long enough to satisfy the *pro tem.* Executive that his failure to recognize would not affect them. The General Assembly, as we believe and assert, fully complied with the requirements of the Constitution in extending the session five days. Both houses, by a two-thirds vote, on the day before the expiration of the forty days, agreed to extend the session five days after the expiration of the forty days, and due notice of this action was immediately given to Mr. Conley. We maintain that the action of the Legislature was constitutional and necessary to the preservation of liberty. Suppose it had been on one of the very last days, say the 39th day of the session, discovered that the acting Governor had done the same thing (illegally indorse railroad bonds,) for which his immediate predecessor and friend, Bullock, had fled the State; suppose further, that it had, in the time above mentioned, been discovered that Mr. Conley had sold pardons of felons for "moneys numbered;" suppose that it had been in like manner discovered that the acting Governor, in the interest of the bondholders and for money paid him, was induced to veto the Bond bill; suppose further, that it had been discovered that Mr. Conley, while acting as Commissioner to investigate and audit claims against the "State Road," had, for money paid him, allowed unjust claims to pass and be paid, would not a construction of the Constitution which gave the Governor the right to break up the General Assembly, when both branches had agreed to continue in session to investigate his conduct, be received with astonishment? A construction which would allow the Executive such opportunities to defeat the General Assembly can only be tolerated from necessity. Now, is there any such necessity? The words of the Constitution on the subject of extension of the session are as follows: "No session of the General Assembly, after the second under this Constitution, shall continue longer than forty days, unless prolonged by a vote of two-thirds of each branch thereof." "Every vote, resolution or order, to which the concurrence of both Houses may be necessary, except on a question of adjournment or election, shall be presented to the Governor, and before it shall take effect be approved by him, or, being disapproved, shall be passed by a two-thirds vote." "No provision in this Constitution, for a two-thirds vote of both Houses of the General Assembly, shall be construed to waive the necessity for the signature of the Governor, as in other case, except in the case of the two-thirds vote required to override the veto." If this last cited clause refers to the one first cited, as to the extension of the session, then Mr. Conley was right and the Legislature was wrong. To what then does this last clause refer? In our opinion it only refers to those provisions in the Constitution which require a two thirds vote; for example, to lay off new counties, to abolish counties, to pass a bank charter, to make a donation to any person, etc. We do not believe that it refers to the section first cited, because, as we think, whether a session shall be continued longer than forty days involves a question of adjournment over which, by express provision of the Constitution, the Governor has no jurisdiction. When the Constitution declares that the session shall not continue longer than forty days unless prolonged by a two-thirds vote of each branch of the General Assembly, it declares, as we understand, that, after the expiration of forty days, the Legislature shall adjourn "*sine die.*" To adjourn "*sine die*" is to break up the session—to continue it no longer. Hence to continue the session is to refuse to adjourn "*sine die.*" The resolution properly passed declared "the intention of the General Assembly to be to continue in session after the forty days, not to adjourn "*sine die*," but to adjourn at the expiration of five days thereafter. We believe the question of adjournment was passed upon in two aspects: firstly, in refusing to adjourn at a certain time and agreeing to continue, and, secondly, in agreeing to adjourn *sine die* at another time than the expiration of the fortieth day. Richardson, in his large dictionary, defines the meaning of the word "adjourn" to be "to discontinue." The question of adjournment is then simply one of continuance, and over this question the Constitution declares that the Governor has no control. As the precedents (so-called) on this question are nearly equally divided, we make no allusion to them.

Precedents to be of value must have arisen out of contests and discussions. Having made this contest for the rights of the General Assembly against the acting Executive, we have done what we believe to be our duty, and confidently appeal to the people of Georgia for their approval.

WM. M REESE,
CHARLES KIBBZE,
THOMAS J. SIMMONS,
JOHN T. BURNS,
COLUMBUS HEARD,
C. J. WELLBORN,
GEORGE HILLYER.

NEWSPAPER TRAINING.—We can safely recommend a graduate of a newspaper office for almost any station in life, at least for all such as require a pretty good knowledge of the peculiarities and characteristics of the human family. A man who can preserve the serenity of his temper, the sweetness of christian disposition, and an unflagging perseverance amid all the obstacles and difficulties which newspaper publication presents, deserves to be ranked with Job for patience, Baxter for goodness, and the Iron Duke, for instance, for nerve, power and obstinate determination.—*Christian World.*

LORD NAPIER.—It is probable that Lord Napier, who represented Great Britain in Washington during Buchanan's Presidency, and who afterwards served in nearly every court in Europe, will succeed Earl Mayo in the vice royalty of India next year. The office is almost equal to the chief magistracy of any State in Europe, and far exceeds, in salary and emoluments, the Presidency of the United States. Besides two palaces, the salary is $125,000 a year.

☞ At Boston, at one of the engine houses wires like bell pulls are placed in various parts of the building, up-stairs and down-stairs, connecting with the stable. When an alarm is sounded, by pulling one of these wires the horses are unhitched and the stable doors thrown open. As the horses are trained to start from their stable at the sound of the gong, it sometimes occurs that they are in their places at the pole of the engine before any of the firemen can reach the machine.

BENEVOLENT THOUGHTS.—The words which Walter Scott puts in the mouth of Jennie Deans, in her memorable address to the Queen, are as true as they are touching and beautiful: "When the hour of trouble comes—and seldom may it visit your ladyship—and when the hour of death comes, to high and low—long and late may it be your, O my leddy! it is na what we have done for oursels, but what we have done for others, that we think on most pleasantly."

☞ Mutual friends—Kerosene and coroners. The slave of the ring—A new made wife. Cash advances—Making up to a rich widow. A sad dog—One who tarries long at his whine. Boarding-house bread—'Tis but a little faded flour. Song of the fawn—Call me early, mother deer. The voice of nature—The mountain's peak.

BY TELEGRAPH.

ASSOCIATED PRESS DISPATCHES.

WASHINGTON.

WASHINGTON, December 27.—The president has the usual reception New Years Day.

The Secretary of the Navy has returned.

There is little doing at the departments to-day.

The commission which is investigating Spinner's office affair find, so far, no further defalcations.

NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, December 27.—The disappearance of Tweed is confirmed.

Florence Farley, who desired to withdraw from Tweed's bail, has been informed that he must produce Tweed first. Other bail was offered in lieu of Farley's, but refused.

Officers are watching the points of departure to prevent Tweed's escape, who is supposed to be concealed in the city.

Tweed's lawyers are moving to vacate the order of the court restraining Tweed from selling property.

An auction sale of coal to-day indicates a decline from last months prices.

MISSOURI.

ST. LOUIS, December 27.—Alexis arrives on the 5th of January. Reception arrangements are complete. A ball and banquet will be given Monday evening at the Southern Hotel.

Information from Chicot county represents all quiet.

MARYLAND.

ANNAPOLIS, December 27.—The defence in Mrs. Wharton's case commenced the examination of their witnesses to-day.

CALIFORNIA.

SACRAMENTO, December 27.—The trains from the East arrived on time to-day. The damage by the storm to the road is small.

LOUISIANA.

NEW ORLEANS, December 27.—Jno. Hampton, the first officer of the ship Success, was accidently drowned. Mrs. Waldron accidently caught fire and burned to death. Coast Busch was shot by Joel Cannon. Two persons were dangerously stabbed, and two were dangerously shot by an assailant. Five were accidently shot and nine boys were severely injured by a gunpowder explosion. Two were dangerously injured during Christmas day and night. The police made 192 arrests for all manner of offenses, of which drunkenness predominated. All of the above occurred on Sunday and Christmas day.

GEORGIA.

MACON, December 27.—The fire balls burned four stores on Cherry street. Loss, $60,000.

MISSISSIPPI.

VICKSBURG, December 27.—The steamboat Kate Kearney sunk at the head of Island 82. No lives lost.

CUBA.

HAVANA, December 27.—Valmaseda has issued a proclamation, in which he says the pardon offered the insurgents cannot last. He now proclaims that every insurgent captured after the 15th of January, will be shot and those surrendering after that date will be sentenced to perpetual imprisonment. The negroes are to be treated in the same manner as the whites. All negro women captured will be delivered to their owners and compelled to wear a chain for four years. All white women captured in the woods after the 15th of January will be banished from the country. The chiefs of insurgent bands will be allowed to surrender till the 15th of January under conditions hitherto granted.

ITALY.

ROME, December 27.—The Bishop of Palistine and Vice Chancellor of the Roman Church, is dead. Aged 78. He was elevated to the cardinate in 1837. Emanuel congratulates Victoria upon Wales' safety.

AUSTRIA.

VIENNA, December 27.—Prince Karl Anerspere has been appointed President of the Upper House of the Reicherstadt.

CHINA.

SHANGHAI, December 27.—The Chinese are imitating the Japanese by sending their youths to England and America, for education.

ENGLAND.

LONDON, December 27—The Queen has returned to Sandringham.

MIDNIGHT DISPATCHES.

MARYLAND

ANNAPOLIS, December 27.—Toney was subjected to two and a half hours' cross-examination. The question was; is there more than a thousandth part of a grain in the thirteen dark spots found on the porcelain?

The witness declined to answer, but said he could manipulate the one-thousandth part of a grain on porcelain.

The witness was unskilled in anatomy, and had no experience in post-mortem examination. He failed to compute correctly the number of milligrammes in a grain. Other calculations of weights, according to the French tables, were sometimes faulty.

Witness once examined the entrails of an animal for strychnine, which is the only one he remembers; was born in Ireland; student one year in Boston; served in the Surgeon General's office from 1866 to 1869; was rated on books as hospital steward; never before made an analysis of human organs for any person; latterly been chemist for a Copper Mining Company. It will be remembered that the Court adjourned from Friday to Tuesday to await the results of Toney's examinations of Ketchum's viscera.

NEW YORK.

SHARON SPRINGS, December 27.—At a late hour in the afternoon the Sheriff had failed to discover the whereabouts of Tweed, though a large number of deputies are in active search. A warrant for his arrest was put in the hands of the Deputy Sheriff by Terrence Farley.

The rumor of the indictment of Mayor Hall is still believed.

Three millions of the Erie consolidated with Georgia of thirty millions has been marked at seventy-five per cent. One of the city banks has been swindled out of forty thousand dollars in the purchase of business paper in open market, which proved to be forged.

A special meeting of the National Association for improving the interests of the Trotting Turf was held to-day, Geo. H. Smith, presiding, to receive evidence for decision on disputed points arising during the year. The session will continue to-morrow

MASSACHUSETTS.

BOSTON, December 27.—The Executive Committee of State Temperance adopted an address to the Prohibitionists of Massachusetts urging continued moral action.

A meeting of fish merchants was held here in which the question of protection was discussed, and the appointment of a committee to wait upon the Massachusetts Senators and Representatives in Congress and endeavor with them to obtain bounty or some other means neutralizing whatever evils the treaty made threatens to inflict on fishermen.

ILLINOIS.

CHICAGO, December 27.—There were in store here on the 23d 5,218,000 bushels of grain.

It is stated that the Republican will be merged into the Post on Saturday.

SPAIN.

MADRID December 27.—The regiment of Chassiur's sailed to-day for Cuba. Amadeus was present and made a farewell speech to the troops, causing immense enthusiasm.

FRANCE.

PARIS, December 27.—In the National Assembly to-day, the proposition for levying a general income tax was rejected by a large majority.

Atlanta Price-Current.

[CORRECTED DAILY.]

CONSTITUTION OFFICE,
ATLANTA, December 27, 6 o'clock, P. M.

Business quiet at quotations.

COTTON.—Cotton closed quiet at 17½ on the streets and 18 nominal in warehouse; receipts light.

FINANCIAL.—The buying price of gold is 107 and the selling price 109. Silver—buying 102; selling 105. Seven per cent. bonds of the city of Atlanta 73a75, eight per cent. 83a85. Six per cent. bonds of the State of Georgia 78a80; seven per cent. 85a87. State of Tennessee bonds—old 65a67; new 65a67. State of Alabama bonds—five per cent. 65; do. eight interest 98a$1. Georgia Railroad stock 98a$1. Georgia Railroad bonds 97a$1. Macon and Western Railroad stock $1 10a1 12. Atlanta and LaGrange Railroad stock 93a95; do. bonds 98a$1. Atlanta National Bank stock $1 10.

COUNTRY PRODUCE—Eggs 35a37. Country butter, well worked 25. Chickens 22½a25. Turkeys $1a1 50; dressed turkeys 16a18 cents per pound; dressed chickens 10a12½. Sweet potatoes 75a$1 per bushel.

CORN.—New shelled 85a90; ear 80a85.

Wheat—Red $1 70a1 75; white $1 80a1 90

Oats are in demand at 65a70.

Telegraphic Markets.

NEW YORK, December 27.—Cotton dull and drooping; Uplands 20¼; Orleans 20¾; sales 2,422 bales.

Cotton sales for future delivery to-day, 10,400 bales, as follows: December 19¾. January, 19⅞a19 9-16. February 20 1-16a20a19 15-16. March, 20¼a20 5-16. April, 20⅜a20⅜a20½a20 9-16a20 5-16. May, 20⅞.

Flour quiet and unchaged; common to fair extra, $6 50a7 25; good to choice; $7 39a9 25. Whisky dull and lower, 95a95½. Wheat steady; winter red Western $1 56a1 59. Corn active and a shade firmer, with better export inquiry, 76a78. Rice 8¼a8¾. Pork steady; mess $14 50a15. Beef quiet. Lard steady. Navals quiet. Tallow 8⅞a9¼. Freights dull and heavy.

Money relaxed during the evening. Discounts 10a13. Gold 8¼a8¾. Governments very strong at 80¼. 62s 9½. States strong, especially Tennessees and new South Carolinas. Tennessees—new 62½. Virginias 57; new 59. Louisianas 60; new 55; Levees 62; 8s 73. Alabamas 93; 5s 63. Georgias 73; 7s 75. North Carolinas 31½; new 14. South Carolinas 49; new 24.

LATER—81s, 17½; 62s 9½; 64s 9¾; 65s 11; new 14¼; 7s, 15¼; 8s, 15½; 10-40s, 9½.

NEW ORLEANS, December 27.—Cotton steady; middlings 19⅜a19½; net receipts 4,416; gross 4,892; exports to Great Britain 5,899; coastwise 531; sales 6,000; stock 167,872.

Flour scarce; double extra $7 62a7 75; superfine $7 25; treble extra $8 12. Corn lower at 75. Oats quiet at 62. Hay—prime $36. Bran firm at $1 03. Pork dull and offering at $14 00a$15 00 Bacon dull; no shoulders; clear rib sides 8; clear sides 8½. Sugar cured hams, new, 15a15½. Lard quiet and firm; tierce 9¾a10; keg 10¼a10½. Sugar quiet; inferior 6a6½; common to good 6⅝a7; fair to fully fair 7¼a7½; prime 8⅜a9. Molasses in good demand; inferior 20a25; common 28a30; fair 32; prime 38a42; strictly prime 43a44. Whisky at 95a$1 3½. Coffee firm at 19½a22½.

Sterling Exchange 18¼; sight ½ discount. Gold 9½.

ST. LOUIS, December 27.—Whisky firm at 90. Pork nominal at $13. Bacon unchanged; clear rib sides 7⅞.

FRANKFORT, December 27.—Bonds 96⅜.

LONDON, December 27 evening.—Sugar on spot 35s to 6d; afloat 30s 9da31s.

LIVERPOOL, December 27.—Cotton closed quiet; uplands 9⅞a10; Orleans 10½. Cotton shipped or shipping at New Orleans 10 1-16.

MOBILE, December 27.—Cotton quiet and weak; middlings 18⅝a18¾; net receipts 2,009 bales; exports coastwise 1,411; sales 1,000; stock 61,098.

WILMINGTON, December 27.—Cotton firm; middlings 19; net receipts 574 bales; exports coastwise 663; stock 5,110.

NORFOLK, December 27.—Cotton dull; low middlings 18½a18⅝; net receipts 1,722 bales; exports coastwise 1,641; sales 200; stock 4,135.

AUGUSTA, December 27.—Cotton very quiet; middlings 18½; net receipts 1,200 bales; sales 900.

CHARLESTON, December 27.—Cotton quiet; middlings 19; net receipts 5,149 bales; exports coastwise 1,743; sales 460; stock 33,338.

MEMPHIS, December 27.—Cotton firm; middlings 19½; receipts 1,893 bales.

PHILADELPHIA, December 27.—Cotton quiet; middlings 20½.

GALVESTON, December 27.—Cotton dull; good ordinary 17¼a17½; net receipts 3,419 bales; exports coastwise 128; sales 400; stock 43,729.

CINCINNATI, December 27.—Flour dull and drooping. Corn advanced, 47. Pork $13 25 asked. Lard firm. Bacon firm; shoulders 6½; sides 7½. Whisky steady at 91.

SAVANNAH, December 27.—Cotton steady with fair demand; middlings 19; net receipts 3,553 bales; exports coastwise 1,029; sales 1,100; stock 77,526.

BOSTON, December 27.—Cotton dull; middlings 20½; net receipts 395 bales; gross 5,385; sales 300; stock 18,000.

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De Luna..............................W. FORMES
Ferrando...........................A. Berringer
Ruiz...................................Janticzki
Musical Director..................A. Predigam

Thursday, Evening, Dec. 28, 1871
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W. FORMES, } { ....Beppo
Jos. Weinlich, as..........................Lord Allcash
Carl Beaunard, as..............................Lorenzo
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dec21-d10 HARRY J. STEEL, Agent

Announcement.

FOR SECRETARY OF STATE.

Colonel H. J. Sprayberry is announced as a candidate for Secretary of State, subject to the Democratic nomination. nov3-dtde

New Advertisements.

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ORDINARY'S OFFICE, December 26th, 1871.

ALBERT M. THRASHER having applied to me for letters of administrator de bonis non cum testamento annexo upon the estate of William Scaife, deceased:

This is, therefore, to notify all persons concerned to file their objections, if any, within the time prescribed by law, else letters will be granted said applicant as applied for.

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NOTICE.

AS CHAIRMAN OF THE COMMITTEE APPOINTED to investigate the fairness or unfairness of THE LEASE OF THE WESTERN AND ATLANTIC RAILROAD BY THE LATE GOVERNOR OF THE STATE, I hereby give notice that said Committee will commence its sessions to hear evidence on the matter above, submitted to it, on the first Wednesday in January, 1872, at 12 M., in the Capitol Building, in the room of the President of the Senate. All persons desiring to submit evidence to said Committee, and to be heard before it, are hereby notified to be then and there present. Any person desiring to communicate with me on this matter, prior to the first Wednesday in January, 1872, can do so by letter directed to Washington, Georgia.

W. M. REESE, Chairman.
December 9, 1871. dec10-dtf

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WE have received a large lot of White Pine Sash Blinds and Doors, which we are selling at REDUCED PRICES.
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FIFTY DOLLARS REWARD WILL BE PAID for the apprehension of John Davis and four hundred dollars he stole from Brown & Cunningham and Harris, near Big Creek, Georgia, on the 17th of December. Said Davis has light, sandy hair, small patch of very light beard on his chin. Height five feet eight or ten inches high. Age eighteen or twenty years, one arm broken and badly crooked.
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ATLANTA:
THURSDAY, DECEMBER 28, 1871.

City Intelligence.

See new advertisements.

Quite a drove of Turkeys were brought to the city yesterday.

Police.—The police are doing but little in a Christmas way.

Christmas.—The horn blowing, drum beating and squib poping is over.

Foster Blodgett was engaged yesterday in getting up his bond of $2,0 0.

The Beethoven Society meets to-night at their Hall. A grand time is expected.

New Year's Cards.—Latest styles from New York at The Constitution Office. Leave your orders at once.

Hoyt & Jones.—See notice of these bankers, that they have for sale sixty shares of Scofield Rolling Mill stock.

Express Men in Atlanta do not seem to have had much Christmas. For several days past they appear to have had more work to do than usual.

Adair & Bro.—See double column advertisement of these popular Atlanta salesmen. We shall refer to them again.

New Year's Cards.—Latest styles from New York at The Constitution Office. Leave your orders at once.

Nice Display.—The dislpay of eatables in some of the restaurant windows, just at this time, makes the mouth water merely to look at them.

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New Year's Gifts.—It is about time to be thinking of New Year's gifts. Our readers will find in our advertising columns where to purchase them.

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Loyd Street Pavement.—The thanks of a large number of pedestrians are due the officers of the Georgia Railroad Depot for the work that at this time is being done on the east side of Loyd street, along by the railroad yard. Will the good work on that street be continued by any one else?

Mayor's Court.—Business was rather more brisk in Judge Hammond's Court on yesterday than it had been for several days previous—the result, no doubt, of Christmas. The number of cases disposed of on yesterday were fourteen. Fines amounted to thirty dollars and costs.

The congregation of St. Stephens' Chapel will have a Christmas tree for their Sunday School, in their Hall, on the corner of Walton and Forsyth streets to-night, at 7 o'clock P. M. All, and especially the children and congregation of St Phillips' Church, are cordially invited to be present.

Geo. Macaula, Pastor.

The Weather has been unpleasant and unpropitious for Christmas. The skies have, most of the time, been cloaked in watery clouds, the earth has been covered with mud, and the air, much of the time, has been filled with fog. Still it is Christmas week, and the influences of the occasion have robbed the clouds of much of their gloom.

The New Jail.—The roof is now about completed, and the building shows for itself. If people will break the laws, and by their own acts become boarders at the above house, when finished, this reporter can only say they will have a neat, comfortable, secure and stylish looking house.

The plan, etc., reflects much credit on the judgment and taste of Judge Pittman.

McDonough Street Female School. We refer the reader to the advertisement in another column. Miss Haygood has proved a most successful teacher.

M'lle E. Sternhi, so long and favorably known as teacher of French and German, is still connected with this school.

Mrs. G. W. Haygood will continue in charge of the Primary Department.

At a regular meeting of Lodge No. 1 of the Knights of Jericho the following were elected officers for the ensuing term: F. P. Perdue, Worthy Chief; J. P. Perdue, Vice Chief; J. J. Ford, Chaplain; Wm. C. McCown, Recorder; T. W. Keltner, Treasurer; Samuel Watson, Marshal; M. M. Johnson, Herald, A. Chisolm, Guard; W. Keltner, Sentinel; Miss Georgia Forsyth, Preceptress.

Superior Court.—Was in session on yesterday, his Honor Judge Hopkins presiding. The motion docket was the the one before the Judge. A motion for a new trial was heard in the case of the State vs. John McMahon, and overruled by the Court, and defendant sentenced to four years in the penitentiary. A motion was also heard for a new trial in the case of the State vs. Charles F. Elliott, and overruled by the Court, and defendant sentenced by Judge Parrott to two years in the penitentiary.

Premiums not always Trumps.—In our advertising columns will be found a card from Dr. J. S. Willson. The Doctor has just fitted up his Coal Yard and office on Marietta street, and will take pleasure in supplying the public with a number one article of coal at reasonable rates.

Dr. Willson has a number of carts in connection with his business, and parties can always find them at his office. He also keeps a good supply of kindling wood on hand. Dr. W. not only keeps supplied with Bituminous, but also Anthracite Coal.

United States District Court.—Col. Ben. C. Yancey was admitted on yesterday, to practice in the District Court.

The complainants in the case of Rodgers vs. Rodgers, filed an amendment to their bill, claiming that the court had jurisdiction because complainants, the Cherokee Indians, are aliens. The amendment was admitted. Col. George Lester opened the argument for the defense, followed by Col. Peeples for complainants. Col. Mynatt also addressed the court in behalf of complainants. The hour of adjournment having arrived, Court adjourned until this morning at 10 o'clock.

New Lock.—Mr. Troup Taylor, of the Newnan Defender, made a visit to this office on yesterday. We were pleased to see him in good health and fine spirits. The latter caused by the fact that Mr. Taylor is on "the road that leads to fortune," a rather rare thing for an editor. Mr. Taylor had with him one of his recently invented, and patented combination door locks. Upon a careful examination of the lock, its workings all being carefully explained by Mr. Taylor, we are fully convinced that the invention is something long desired, that is a simple and at the same time safe reliable lock, one with which house-breakers and burglars will wish to have nothing to do.

We wish Mr. Taylor every success, which his invention richly merits.

Christmas Presents.—Christmas is a day "of peace and on earth good will to men." It is one of charity and fraternal regard: one that stimulates in our hearts the growth of kindness for each other, and for humanity. Thirteen members of the Rev. Dr. Wilson's church, of this city, a few days since put into practice all the teachings and the principles involved in the institution of Christmas; they called upon their beloved Pastor, not only to assist him with sympathy, and with hopes with reference to the future, and of kindness for the present, but also with something more substantial—which consisted of $120 worth of the very best provisions that could be procured in the city.

From out of this kind act there will grow a thousand flowers, each one of which will exhale an incense grateful to the occasion and that will be pleasant to the kind donors.

Christmas Trees.—Monday night last the City Hall was filled with a multitude of children and grown persons to witness the handsomest tree of the season, reaching to the lofty ceiling, and heavily laden with gifts, fine, superfine, and humorous. This tree was for the Sunday School of the Central Presbyterian Church.

Among the funny incidents was the presentation of a full-sized picture of a "heathen Chinee," which, however, on close inspection, proved to be an admirable photograph of a teacher of a large class of boys. Santa Claus was on hand, and distributed the presents amid great merriment.

The Second Baptist Church Sunday School had their Christmas Tree last night in the Church. This tree was distinguished by its profusion of beautiful gifts. There were appropriate addresses by T. P. Westmoreland and Marshall J. Clarke, Esqs., and there were several songs by the children.

Rev. Dr. Spalding received a handsome present from the school, as did Rev. Mr. Leftwich from the [illegible].

The Cold Water Templars, the noble little boys and girls, enjoyed their Christmas tree last night in James' Hall. The Rev. Dr. Warren made some appropriate remarks, and then introduced old Santa Claus, who distributed gifts from a well-filled tree.

"Il Trovatore."—Last night this beautiful opera received a most excellent rendition from a superior company, to a very fashionable but rather small audience at DeGive's Opera House, and during the evening repeated signs of approval were given by the audience by frequent applause. Verdi's opera of "Il Trovatore," we must confess, was presented in a manner worthy of that masterpiece of musical genius. The cast was excellent, embracing the best material of the company and the parts were distributed with so nice an appreciation of the qualifications of the various persons for the work assigned them, that not a blemish occurred to mar the perfect beauty of the whole.

"Leonora" was interpreted by M'lle Anna Rosetta and we think Verdi himself would have shouted "Bravo!" had he witnessed the central figure of his opera set in so fair a guise. The prima donna was lost and forgotten in the devoted, passionate woman, which she represented, and every movement was fashioned closely upon nature's pattern. We have not space to speak of M'lle Rosetta's voice. Song—deep, melodious, heart-thrilling song—is her language. M'lle Dalaba rendered the roll of the Zingara mother superbly. The costume, her style, reproduced the wandering Gypsy finely, while her excellent voice seemed the proper medium to fitly express the emotions of love, vengeance and despair, which swayed the soul of "Azucena."

W. Formes, as De Luna, sung with a vigor and taste which delighted the audience.

The Maurice of Beaunard was felicitous. He possesses a voice of rare compass and sweetness, which he uses in the happiest manner. The other characters in the piece were all well sustained. The "Anvil Chorus" was exceedingly effective and impressive, while the *misere* in the last act was grand. The orchestra is full and effective and well conducted.

From the lateness of the hour we have been forced to this short notice, when in fact much more is due The troupe, in point of ability, numbers, appointments and completeness, is the best that has ever visited us. The *repertoire* is choice, and gives the Atlanta public an opportunity of enjoying operas, such as have never before been performed in our city.

Christian Church—At 7½ o'clock the school under the direction of Mr. M. C. Marshall, Superintendent, entered the church, and the exercises commenced by the children singing—"Merry, Merry Christmas." Prayer by Rev. Dr. Wills. Song, I am in the Army, a Soldier of the Lord Recitation, 23d Psalm, by Jodie Atkins. Recitation of poetry, "Trust In God And Do The Right," by Flora Archer. Oscar Tye recited a psalm. Cordelia Owen recited 25th chapter of Matthew, 1st to 11th verse.

Song, Love Divine—John W. Sparks. Recitations by Cordelia Schram, Jessie McLaine, Alma Archer. Song, Hold on! Hold on! Recitations by Rufus Jones, Rosie Robinson, Remus Jones, Julia Atkins, Ola Murry, Amy Atkins, Miss Lutie Marshall.

Prof. Harmsen led the choir in an anthem. Some delightful remarks were made by Dr. Wills, full of wit and anecdote, and a short sermon to the children on the three steps: 1st step, out of self; 2d step, into Jesus; 3d step, straight into Heaven.

Col. Jas. Atkins, assisted by several teachers, then delivered seventy-five or eighty gifts to the children, according to the number of tickets received by them in the Sunday School

After this the children sang come to Jesus, and Elder Perdue dismissed with a benediction.

Dinner and Christmas Tree.—Christmas day was most delightfully spent at Kirkwood. Happy, intelligent faces, sweet voices, mingled with merry peals of laughter, a Christmas tree, a dinner, and Santa Claus, all created several hours of enjoyment for all present, and served to drive off dull care for a time at least, from both participants and lookers on The citizens in the neighborhood prepared an excellent dinner, of delicacies of every variety, and in bounteous profusion at the Academy.

The veritable Santa Claus visited the Christmas tree Bright eyes sparkled, cut vieing the diamond in brilliancy, coral lips parted, giving utterance to jest and repartee, while assisting Santa Claus in his "make up" for his reception.

The citizens of Kirkwood have reason to feel satisfied with their entertainment, and certainly placed their friends who were present under obligations for the pleasant hours spent there on Christmas day.

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Local and Business Notices.

Atlanta Ice Manufacturing Company—Notice.—Stockholders of the Atlanta Ice Manufacturing Company are hereby notified that the third assessment of fifty cents a share on the capital stock of the said Company is due and payable on the first day of January, 1872. Payments to be made to E. L. Jones, Esq., Treasurer, at the Georgia National Bank.

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Ours is not the Premium Coal, but we are, and have been, selling to one of the committee that awarded the premiums at the Fulton County Fair, in October last, all the coal he uses both for blacksmith and domestic purposes. While J. M. Born, Jr., & Co., have sold to another one of the committee his winter supply. The men on the committee reside in the country, and consequently do not burn coal.

Our price is Thirty-three and one-third cents in the yard per bushel of 80 lbs., not a less quantity, or 35 cents delivered in quantities of ten bushels and upwards; by the car of 225 bushels, 28 cents; one hundred bushel lots, 33 delivered.

I also have on hand anthracite coal.

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Diamond Oil.—Try it, and you will have no other. Go to corner Whitehall and Mitchell for the safest and cheapest oil in the city.
dec20-tf

Boarding.—Permanent or transient board can be secured in comfortable rooms at Mrs. Russell's, on Alabama Street, No. 20, ladies' entrance, formerly to United States Hotel. dec24-6t

New Arrival at the Kimball House. Have you called at M. Heyman & Bro.'s, No. 16, Sign of the Golden Boot, and seen their new and attractive stock of fine Philadelphia made Ladies' Shoes, just opened? They are offering Shoes at reduced prices, and cheaper than any house in the city, in order to build up a good trade. Their custom made fine Glove Kid, French Kid Calf and Serge Button and Lace Gaiters can be purchased at astonishing low prices. Gents' hand-made Boots and Gaiters you will find in great variety, and cheaper than elsewhere. Do not forget the bargains at Store No. 16, Kimball House. dec3—d1m-sun&thur

Having resigned the Bench to attend to my private practice, upon my return from Washington City, where I will be employed for the next thirty days in attending to claims, I will open an office for special practice in this city.

dec8—d1m O. A. Lochrane.

For Rent—The comfortable, brick School Room, with Furniture complete, on Pryor Street, near the First Methodist Church.
Apply to O. Rockwell.
dec17—dtf

You can't get a safer and cheaper oil than the Diamond Oil, at corner of Whitehall and Mitchell streets, used and recommended by the United States Government, the Atlanta Board of Underwriters. Try it, and you will never use any other. dec20-tf

Just received at the "Furniture Emporium," Fifty full Bed-room Suits complete, full marble, one-half marble, one-fourth marble, and Misses' Bureaus in choice woods—separate or in suits, as desired. Remember the place, Kile's corner. All grades of Parlor Suits made to order. Twenty sets now being finished, adapted to Holiday presents.
dec24-3t

Don't buy a single Christmas or Bridal Present till you go and look at McBride & Co.'s stock. dec20-tf

To Rent or Sell.—A 65 acre farm, within one mile of the city of Atlanta. Apply to Dr. J. S. Willson, at Coal Yard on Marietta street, or through post-office box 545. dec21-tf

Silver Plated Ware—A large stock, slightly tarnished, best goods, best makers, at and below cost, at
dec20-tf McBride & Co.'s.

Rupture.—Why will you suffer from Rupture when you can have relief and cure? Throw away your disagreeable Trusses, and call and see Drs. Rowe & Tabor, No. 2 Capitol building, Atlanta, Ga. dec10-d2w

Four car loads of Elegant Furniture received at the "Emporium," on Saturday, December 23. Expressly for Holiday presents. Bedsteads, Wardrobes, Bureaus, Washstands, Ettegences, Card and Marble-top Tables, Sideboards, Extension Tables, Office and Dining Chairs, Sofas, Lounges, Easy Chairs, Tete-tete. Grand Opening Christmas day.
dec24-3t

Fish and Oyster Depot—84 Whitehall street—Wholesale and Retail. Norfolk Oysters in quart tin cans Oysters $2 per gallon; Fish 25 to 45 cents per string; Shrimps 25 cents per quart; Crabs 75 cents per dozen—carefully packed in ice and shipped to any point. L. Cook.
oct13—dtf

Those Receipts.—The following shows how they go:

Warrenton, Ga., Dec. 9, 1871.

Gents:—Noticed your Metropolitan Receipts, but never yet been able to learn where to procure them. Enclosed you will find 25 cents for which you will do me the kindness to have me a copy of same sent me per mail, and greatly oblige,

Yours truly,

There are agents in the city retailing them at 25 cents. dec12-dtf

Dollar Stores and 50 Cent Stores, don't send off your orders till you look at the job lots, just received from auction, by McBride & Co. They have Dolls, Vases, and other fancy goods, cheaper than you can get them in New York. dec20-tf

Beaver,
Chin-Chilla,
Peter-Shaw,
Whitney,
Melton,
Kersey,

Over Coats
and
Talmers

at Eiseman & Bro.,
dec16-dtf No. 56 Whitehall street.

Brevier Type.—Fifty Fonts of Type for sale. W. A. Hemphill & Co.
sep26—d&wtf

To Publishers.—News Ink in twenty five pound kegs, and upwards, can be had at The Constitution office. The Ink is fresh—just from market.
aug30—dtf

A Book that every House keeper should Have.—250 Rare Recipes, including 100 used by the celebrated Metropolitan Hotel, New York. The price is only 25 cents. For sale by agents. No household should be without these recipes.
oct13—dtf

State of Georgia, Fulton County.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF SAID COUNTY.

THE Petition of A. J. Haile, A. D. Haile and others of the state and county, aforesaid respectfully sheweth that they have recently established a Female College in the city of Atlanta, for the education of young ladies—that they desire that they and their successors or assigns may be incorporated and become a body corporate under the name of "Haile's Atlanta Female College," for the term of twenty years with the privilege of removal at the expiration of that time, with a capital of nominal value actually paid in consisting of property adapted to the uses and purposes of said institution, with the privilege of increasing the same to Fifty Thousand Dollars, and that they may be endowed with all the rights, privileges, Powers, franchises and immunities conferred upon similar institutions of learning by any of the public or private laws of this State. That they may have the right to have and use a corporate seal, to sue and be sued in their corporate capacity, to appoint and remove the President and Professors, Adjunct Professors, Teachers and such other officers and subordinates of the Institution as they may deem proper, and to make such by-laws, rules and regulations (not in conflict with the Constitution and laws of this State or of the United States) as they may think necessary and proper for the management of the affairs and business of the institution—to acquire and hold by purchase, lease, donation, bequest or otherwise such real or personal property as may be necessary or beneficial to the interests of said Institution, and to sell, and convey the same, and to change the location of the Institution whenever deemed best to any point within the limits of the county aforesaid—to confer such Degrees as similar Institutions are empowered to confer—to associate others with them or to sell, transfer and assign their corporate name, property, rights and franchises on such terms and conditions as may be deemed desirable.

Wherefore, Your Petitioners pray this Honorable Court to pass an order granting the incorporation as sought for FARROW & THOMAS,
Petitioners' Attorneys.

Filed December 16, 1871.
A true extract from the minutes of said Court.
W. R. VENABLE,
dec17-d1aw1m Clerk.

WANTED,

A PARTNER with cash capital of $6,000, to purchase a half interest in a first class DRUG STORE, in a Southern city, now established and doing a good business.

Address, with full name,
I. S. C.,
Box No. 573, Atlanta, Ga.
dec22 d1w.

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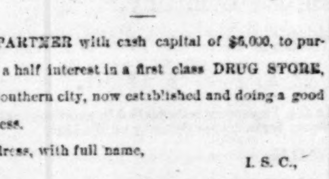

Standard Scales,

More than 250 Different Modifications.

Agents also for the best Alarm Money Drawer.

FAIRBANKS & CO.,
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For sale by leading Hardware Dealers.
sep27-d1y—wedns&sat.

State of Georgia, Fulton County.

TO THE SUPERIOR COURT OF SAID COUNTY:

THE petition of the undersigned showeth that the officers and members of the R. E. Lee Fire Company No. 4 have associated themselves together to prevent, if possible, by their most strenuous efforts, the too frequent calamities occasioned by fire in the city of Atlanta, and desire to be incorporated for such purpose under the name of the R. E. Lee Fire Company No. 4, and respectfully ask that they be empowed with full corporate powers to pass all laws and by-laws, rules and regulations for the government of said Company not contrary to the Constitution of this State or the laws thereof, and respectfully ask that said R. E. Lee Fire Company No. 4 may have such exemptions and priviledges to its officers and members as have or may hereafter be granted by the General Assembly of the State of Georgia.

For which purpose your petitioners pray the passing of an order conferring upon said officers and members of R. E. Lee Fire Company and their successors, the privileges applicable to their incorporation as above set forth. PEEPLES & HOWELL,
Petitioner's Attorneys.

A true extract from the Minutes of said court.
dec7-d1aw4w W. R. VENABLE, Clerk.

STERLING SILVER-WARE.

SHARP & FLOYD,

No. 33 Whitehall Street,

ATLANTA,

SPECIALTY

STERLING SILVER-WARE,

Special attention is requested to the many new and elegant pieces manufactured expressly to our order the past year, and quite recently completed.

An unusually attractive assortment of novelties in Fancy Silver, cased for Wedding and Holiday presents, of a medium and expensive character.

The House we represent manufacture on an unparalleled scale, employing on Sterling Silver-Ware alone Over One Hundred skilled hands, the most accomplished talent in Designing, and the best Labor-Saving Machinery, enabling them to produce works of the highest character, at prices UNAPPROACHED by any competition. Our stock at present is the largest and most varied this side of Philadelphia.

An examination of our stock and prices will guarantee our sales.

Our House use only

British Sterling, $\frac{925}{1000}$.

dec15—d&wtf

TWENTY-FOUR SILVER MEDALS,
THIRTY-FOUR BRONZE MEDALS,
—AND—
SIX DIPLOMAS

WERE awarded to

ECHOLS & WILSON

At the Fairs of Atlanta and Augusta this season. We keep full stock of everything in demand in our line, and sell at the lowest prices. Please call and examine. ECHOLS & WILSON,
nov11-tf Broad street by the bridge, Atlanta.

Dr. Hurley's Ague Tonic!

Purely Vegetable! No Arsenic! No Mercury in its Composition!

NO CURE, NO PAY, if directions be followed. No danger in taking an overdose, as we put no poison in our medicines. One dollar per bottle.

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IS the remedy, par excellence, for all diseases arising from debility, disordered stomach, loss of appetite, torpid liver, indigestion, and all kindred ailments, where a gentle and permanent stimulant and tonic is required. Pleasant to take. One dollar per bottle.

DR. HURLEY'S SYRUP OF SARSAPARILLA

With Iodide of Potash.

THIS Preparation has long been recognized by the most eminent minds in the Medical Profession as the most reliable, searching and harmless alterative within their reach, and as a Blood Purifier it certainly stands without a rival. One dollar per bottle.

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IS really all it claims to be—a SPECIFIC—removing all worms from the human viscera. No harmful effect from its use. Children love it. No danger in giving an overdose. 25 cents per box.

Dr. Seabrook's

INFANT SOOTHING SYRUP.

THE indispensable remedy in the Nursery. No more use for laudanum, paragoric, Bateman's Drops, or other strong opiates. No bad effects from the use of Seabrook's. Health to the child, rest to the mother, and a clear conscience to the vendor. 25 cents per bottle.

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ELIXIR OF BARK AND IRON,

THE Great Tonic and Appetizer. One dollar per bottle. All for sale by Druggists everywhere.
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MANUFACTURER OF

ALL KINDS OF FIRST-CLASS

CARRIAGES,

Phaetons, Rockaways, Buggies,

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KEEPS constantly on hand a large stock of the above named vehicles. Also, a large stock of

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DEFY COMPETITION

in regard to quality or price.

Repairing Promptly and Neatly Executed.

Satisfaction guaranteed in all cases. Give me a trial. DAVID McBRIDE,
sep23-d&m—dec19-d3m 35 Decatur Street.

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Wholesale and Retail Dealers in

LUMBER AND COAL,

LATHS, SHINGLES,

Doors, Sash and Blinds,

ALWAYS IN STOCK.

Sole Agents for

Coal Creek Coal Co.'s Coal,

Superior to any in the market.

RETAIL PRICE FOR COAL IN THE YARD:

35 cents per bushel of 80 lbs.

3 bushels for $1 00.

ALL orders accompanied by the cash for 12½ bushels or upwards will be delivered within the limits of the old city, at 35 cents per bushel; 100 bushels delivered as above, at $31 00. Per car load, warranted weight at the Mines and charged according to INVOICE, 28 cents per bushel.

Office and Yard opposite Georgia Railroad Depot, Atlanta, Georgia. dec7—d1m

Sixty Shares

—OF—

Scofield Rolling Mill Stock,

FOR SALE AT THE BANKING HOUSE OF

HOYT & JONES,

ALABAMA STREET.

dec27—dtf

Store for Rent.

A TWO STORY BRICK STORE on Mitchell Street, occupied at present by Hillman, Rust & Co. Possession given first of January For further particulars apply to M. E. MAHER,
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School Furniture for Sale.

I WILL SELL, privately, the Furniture of the late Atlanta High School, consisting of Chairs, Benches, Black Boards and Desks. Much of this Furniture is as good as new, particularly the Desks, which are made of the best quality of oak or cherry, with iron frames. The whole will be sold together or divided to suit purchasers, cheap, for cash.
F. G. MOORE.
dec27-d1w Address P. O. Box 345.

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ALL RAIL!

(Except Transfer at Mobile.)

PASSENGERS FOR

Montgomery.

Selma, Mobile, Birmingham, and Tuskaloosa, Alabama.

MERIDIAN,

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NEW ORLEANS,

Shreveport, Monroe, La. Jefferson, Galveston and all Points in Texas and Northern and Central Mississippi.

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ATLANTA TWICE DAILY!!

At 6:50 o'clock, a. m., and at 7:00 o'clock, p. m.,

—VIA—

Atlanta & West Point R. R.

Will make direct connections with the above named places. Trains run through to Montgomery without change.

98 Miles Shorter

To Montgomery, Mobile and New Orleans than Blue Mountain, (via Kingston and Rome,) or any other route, and

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Than by Chattanooga, Grand Junction and Corinth, to New Orleans and Galveston.

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Passengers leaving Atlanta at 7 00 P. M., will arrive in Montgomery at 6 35 A. M., two hours and ten minutes earlier than via Blue Mountain Route.

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☞ Every attention paid to the comfort of Passengers. ☞ Baggage handled with care, and checked to all terminal points.

Fare as low as any other route. Through Tickets for sale at the office of the General Ticket Agent, in the Union Passenger Depot in Atlanta. Also, one thousand mile tickets for the accommodation of merchants and families, at reduced rates.

L. P. GRANT, Superintendent.
W. J. HOUSTON,
General Passenger Agent.
oct1—dec20 dtf

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Life Insurance Company!!

CHARTERED BY THE STATE OF GEORGIA.

CAPITAL $500,000!

OWNED at Home, and Company managed by some of our best Financiers.

Over 2,500 Policies Issued Since June 1st, 1869.

The only Company doing business in the South that has

ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS

Deposited with the authorities of the State of Georgia for the Protection of Policy Holders.

Policies upon all the Various Plans of Insurance Issued.

A Loan of 33 per cent. of the Premium Given when Desired

ALL POLICIES NON-FORFEITABLE.

No Restrictions as to Residence or Travel. Strictly a Home Company, with its

CAPITAL AND INVESTMENTS AT HOME,

It appeals to those who desire to avail themselves of the benefits of Life Insurance to give it their patronage.

The time has arrived when every thoughtful man is disposed to make this wise provision for those dependent upon his life.

This company proposes to give all the advantages which are offered by foreign institutions of like character, with the opportunity of keeping the vast sums in our own midst, which are annually sent abroad.

People of the Cotton States, foster home enterprise.

Active & Energetic Agents Wanted

In every County and Town in the South.

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IT is the most perfect Machine in use, is Simple and Durable. Every household should have it. A household is not any more complete without a Knitting Machine than it is without a Sewing Machine. Call and see it in operation at No. 2 Capitol Building, Atlanta, Georgia
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$25 TWENTY-FIVE DOLLARS will be paid for a single case of incurable Catarrh. Dr. Merwin's Vegetable Catarrh Cure is the cheapest, as a package makes one pint of medicine, and is sent by mail on receipt of thirty cents. And is the best, because it never fails to cure any case of Catarrh. We wish to send our pamphlet, entitled "Man and Woman as Invalids," to every reader of this paper, and will mail, free, a dozen or more copies to any person who will hand them to their friends. Address St. Louis Medical Association, No. 117 Sixth Street, St. Louis, Missouri. sep13-d&w1y

For Cleansing and Preserving the

TEETH

HARDENING THE GUMS

Imparting a delightfully refreshing taste and feeling to the mouth, removing all tartar and scurf from the teeth, completely arresting the progress of decay, and whitening such cavities in the teeth as have already become black by decay.

IMPURE BREATH.

AMONG all the disagreeable consequences that follow fast the decay of the teeth, an impure breath must be the most unpleasant and mortifying to its possessor, as it is the most inexcusable and offensive in society. How often its possessor experiences a distant coldness shown even from the best of friends, or perhaps the one most fondly cherished, from this source. You are ignorant of the cause yourself, the subject is so delicate—your most intimate friend will not mention it. Why not remove this one great barrier to your health, beauty and happiness, at once, by using that justly popular dentifrice, fragrant Sozodont, the most convenient, pleasant and efficacious gem for the toilet the world has ever produced.

Sold by druggists everywhere at 75 cents per bottle.
oct26-3m

LITCHFIELD HOUSE,

Acworth..................Georgia.

TABLE always furnished with the best the market affords. E. L. LITCHFIELD,
nov11-tf Proprietor.

MONUMENT

—TO THE—

Confederate Dead of Georgia,

And to those Soldiers from

OTHER CONFEDERATE STATES

WHO WERE KILLED OR

DIED IN THIS STATE.

—:o:—

THE MONUMENT TO COST $50,000.

—:o:—

THE CORNER STONE it is proposed shall be laid as soon as the receipts will permit.

2,000 Prizes, Valued at $300,000.

That Amount, only, in Tickets, to be Sold.

For every Five Dollars subscribed before the first day of February, 1872, and for every Ten Dollars after that date, there will be given a certificate of Life Membership to the Monumental Association. This certificate will entitle the owner thereof to an equal interest in the following property, to be distributed as so soon as requisite number of shares are sold, to-wit:

First. Nine hundred and One Acres of Land in Lincoln county, Georgia, on which are the well known Magruder Gold and Copper Mines, valued at..... $150,000.

And to Seventeen Hundred and Forty-Four Shares in One Hundred Thousand Dollars of United States Currency, to-wit:

1	Share of	....	$10,000	$ 10,000
1	" of	....	5,000	5,000
2	" of	....	2,500	5,000
10	" of	....	2,000	20,000
10	" of	....	1,000	10,000
20	" of	....	500	10,000
100	" of	....	100	10,000
200	" of	....	50	10,000
400	" of	....	25	10,000
1000	" of	....	10	10,000
				$100,000

From the First-class Real Estate offered by well known patriotic Citizens, to Confederate Monumental Association, the following Prizes have been selected, and added to the foregoing Shares:

1.—BERZILIA. This well known Resort, with the Large Residence, Store, etc., and Four Hundred Acres of Land, immediately on the Georgia Railroad, twenty miles from Augusta. Paying an annual yield of Fifteen Thousand Dollars.

2.—The well known CITY HOTEL, fronting on Broad street. The building is of Brick, three Stories high, 134x70 feet. Valued at $96,000.

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4.—That LARGE BRICK RESIDENCE & STORE, on the Northwest corner of Broad and Centre streets, known as the Phinizy or Bandry House. Rent Two Thousand Dollars.

5.—The ROGERS HOUSE, on Greene street, a new and elegant Brick Residence, in most desirable portion of that beautiful street Valued at $16,000

6.—FLAT BUSH, with 120 Acres of Land, half a mile from City Limits, the elegant Suburban Residence of Antoine Poullain, Esq., in good order. Valued at $16,000.

7.—The DEARING HOUSE, a large and commodious Residence, with Thirty City Lots 60x210 feet, fronting on McKinne and Carnes streets. Valued at $15,0 0.

8.—STANTON RESIDENCE & ORCHARD, on the Georgia Railroad. Valued at $5,000.

Also—One Share of One Hundred Bales of Cotton.
One Share of Fifty Bales of Cotton.
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244 Shares of One Bale each.

The Bales to average 400 pounds, and class Liverpool Middling.

The value of the seperate interest to which the Holder of each Certificate will be entitled, will be determined by the Commissioners, who will announce to the public the manner, the time, and place of the distribution.

The following gentlemen have consented to act as Commissioners, and will, either by a Committee from their own body, or by Special Trustees appointed by themselves, receive and take proper charge of the money for the Monument, as well as the Real Estate and the United States Currency offered as inducements for subscription, and will determine upon the plan for the Monument, the description thereon, the site therefor, select an orator for the occasion, and regulate the ceremonies to be observed when the corner stone is laid, to wit:

General L. McLaws, Gen. A. R. Wright, Gen. M. A. Stovall, Gen. W. M. Gardner, Gen. Goode Bryan, Col. C. Snead, Col. Wm. P. Crawford, Major Jos. B. Cumming, Major George T. Jackson, Major Joseph Ganahl, Major I. P. Girardey, Hon. R. H. May, Adam Johnston, Jonathan M. Miller, W. H. Goodrich, J. D. Butt, Henry Moore, Dr. W. E. Dearing.

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The Price of Tickets (five dollars) will be the same until the First day of February next, on and after which day it is proposed that one half the Tickets unsold will be withdrawn, the remainder to be sold at Ten Dollars each, the purchaser to be on same footing in every particular with those previously sold.

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L. & A. H. McLAWS,
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Traveling Agent. dec3-d1m

Cast and Steel Turn and SUBSOIL PLOWS.

HARROWS OF THE BEST PATTERNS,
PLOW EXTRAS OF ALL KINDS,
IRON AXLES AND THIMBLE SKIN WAGONS,
ROAD SCOOPS, FIELD ROLLERS,
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OTHER FORAGE CUTTERS,
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And other Implements and Machinery, too numerous to mention. A full stock at
ECHOLS & WILSON'S,
nov12—dtf Broad Street (by the Bridge.

FOR SALE.

I HAVE concluded to offer for sale my large Brick House, containing two stories and basement, about 90 by 54 feet, located in Granite Block, Nos. 1 and 2, on Broad street. Terms about $5,000; will give payments to suit purchasers.

A few rooms to rent for next year. I also offer my residence for sale in Decatur, DeKalb county, on favorable terms. Call on, or address,
E. G. Kelly. S. W. LEE.
dec22-d1m

A CARD TO THE TRADE!!

REDWINE & FOX.

HAVING enlarged our store by connecting the adjoining room to it, we are prepared to offer to the trade unsurpassed facilities in the selection of goods in our line.

OUR STOCK OF DRUGS, AS ALSO OF

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has been increased by selections from the best manufactors, so that we are able not only to sell choice goods but to give the lowest market prices.

We call special attention to our KEROSENE OIL, (150 degrees fire test), which cannot be surpassed for brilliancy of light, and is, at the same time, entirely safe from explosion.

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Is being remodeled, and we are prepared to fill Prescriptions, of the purest Chemicals, with neatness and dispatch. This department is in charge of

Mr. Palmer and Dr. A. C. FOX,

Late of Virginia. The former is well and favorably known to our citizens. The latter is a gentleman of long experience in the business and a graduate of Medicine and Pharmacy.

A careful examination of our stock and prices is respectfully solicited.
aug12—june7—nov5-dtf REDWINE & FOX.

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No. 70 Whitehall Street, - - - - - - - Atlanta, Ga.,

HAVE JUST OPENED A STOCK OF

DRY GOODS.

WHICH CANNOT BE EXCELLED IN QUALITY AND PRICE BY ANY IN THE SOUTH. In Black Dress Goods we make a specialty of the celebrated

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BLACK ALPACAS,

Pronounced by COMPETENT JUDGES

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—ALSO, THE—

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TRADE MARK PAT'D.

OF SILK FINISHED, PURE MOHAIR, FAST BLACK, AND THE

"Sable Brand of Turkish Brilliantines,"

TRADE MARK PAT'D.

which are made of the finest hair of the TURKEY GOAT, and as they possess the highest degree of brilliancy, they have been pronounced the most beautiful black lustred goods ever imported.

We have, also a FULL LINE of all the different styles of Fashionable Dress Goods. Also, Velvet Cloaks, Embroidered Sacques, Shawls, Terry Velvets, Velveteens, Lyon's Silk Velvet, Point Lace, Guipure Lace, Valencienne Lace, Embroidered Sets, and the GENUINE A. T. STEWART'S "ALEXANDRE" KID GLOVES,

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WHOLESALE CONFECTIONER, FANCY GROCER

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IN THIS LINE EVER OFFERED IN THIS MARKET. Consisting in part of

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30,000 Five Pound Boxes French and American Fancy Candies,
Prize Candies in Boxes to Retail at 10, cts 25 cts or 50 cts.
5,000 Boxe Fresh Crackers, all kinds.
125 Barrels Nuts, assorted.
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Sardines, Oysters, Lobsters, Salmon, Brandied Fruits, Canned Fruits, Canned Vegetables, Green Corn, Deviled Meats, Condensed Milk, Raisins, Currants, Citron, Maccaroni, Vermicelli, Figs, Cocoa-
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The Weekly Constitution.

From the Saturday Review, (London,) of November 25, 1871.

The Great English Literary Authority on "Maury's Geographies."

There is hardly any department of literature in which Americans themselves would question the superiority of England, either as regards average quality or quantity of production. The public documents of the States, indeed, are, as our readers well know, of far more varied and general value and interest than our own, and many scientific and practical works of the highest merit have been and are yearly published at the expense of the country. But even though thus aided, there is no branch of study to which the entire recent contribution is anything like as important as our own. And in no case of books, perhaps, is this inferiority more manifest than in those intended for the use of schools and colleges. But we must make one important exception alike to the general rule and the particular example. Upon Geography and kindred subjects Americans have written much and carefully, stimulated and assisted no doubt by the energetic encouragement which the Federal Government has constantly given to exploration of every kind in almost every part of the Western Continent. Geographers proper, geologists, mineralogists, and naturalists have been enabled to pursue their inquiries at the public cost, and have been encouraged to pains-taking investigation, and to the publication of ample records of their discoveries by the interest which all classes of Americans have always manifested in these subjects. It is no doubt to their peculiar situation, as a people of high civilization and unresting enterprise, in possession of an immense, rich, and imperfectly known territory, that this interest is due; and it has led apparently to a study of geography much more general and thorough than is common in English schools. As the demand creates the supply, the American text-books of geography are often more complete and certainly much better calculated to fulfil their purpose of instruction than our own. Dr. M. F. Maury's series, one of which we have already had occasion to notice, are especially adapted to excite the curiosity of boys and girls, and to make that which, as taught to our children, is about the dullest and most tedious of all matters of routine into the agreeable and interesting subject it ought to be. The volume now before us is fitted to be the delight of any school-room in which the teacher is not utterly and hopelessly unfit to teach. It contrives to make the geographical definitions to which children so rarely learn to attach a meaning intelligible at sight, by an illustration in which each of the common terms of physical geography—continent, island, sound, strait, ocean, sea, mountain, tableland, &c.—is clearly presented to the reader's eye. It contains, not only the ordinary maps which show the political demarcations of mankind, but physical maps in which the great natural features of every region are shown with equal distinctness. And, finally, a multitude of illustrations attach a living interest and visible meaning to the multitude of names and facts which form the drudgery of geography; presenting to the sight and intelligence of the pupil characteristic scenes which his memory will ever after associate with the names of capitals, the course of rivers, the local scenery, flora, fauna, history, and industrial occupations which the writers of English text-books expect him to learn by rote. We can heartily recommend this volume, and its companions, to the use of every family and to the junior classes of every school; and we are sure that where it is adopted the geography lesson will become suddenly and surprisingly popular.

Personal Paragraphs.

[SELECTED FOR THE CONSTITUTION.]

Fred Douglass will deliver the next lecture of the West Side Star course.

Henry Ward Beecher has written a lecture on "The Redemption of the Ballot."

Brigham Young is reported to be hidden in a gorge of the mountains in the Southwest of Utah.

W. M. Carleton, the bard of Michigan, has prepared a poem on the burning of Chicago, and is to pelt the public with it shortly.

John Tyler, the son of a man who was once President of the United States, is editing a Radical paper in Tallahassee, Florida. He is said to be unreliable.

It is doubtful if Justice Nelson ever returns to the Supreme Bench of the United States. He is now verging on eighty, and has gone to his home in New York State.

Alderman Gardner settled in Chicago twenty years ago. He then had $10,000 in money and owned 6,000 acres of land. Since he has been in that city he has built over 140 houses.

Judge Swayne, of the United States Supreme Court, is reported to be rich, made so by judicious investments in Western real estate. An investment in Toledo of $10,000, a few years ago, realized $300,000.

Jacob Phiniey, died at Somerset, Pa., a few days ago. Mr. P. served in the memorable victory of Perry's, on the "Niagara," and was one of the only three persons, on that vessel who came out of the conflict unhurt.

About Women.

[CONDENSED FOR THE CONSTITUTION.]

A Massachusetts woman made $500 last year by the cultivation of lilies.

In Switzerland, editors who advocate woman's rights are prosecuted according to law.

There is a "bustle" in fashionable circles in New York. All the ladies are getting their backs up.

The Danbury News says a Monroe woman weeping over the loss of a child was assured by a sympathizing neighbor that "there are just as good fish in the sea as ever was caught."

President Angell, of the Michigan University, denies that he declared to President White of Cornell, that it was the "unlovely class" of women who wanted to be educated in male universities.

An English writer advises young women to look favorably upon those engaged in agricultural pursuits, assigning, as one reason, that the "mother Eve married a gardener." He forgot to add that, in consequence of the match, the gardener lost his situation.

"Can't you give my son one of the prizes at the exhibition?" asked a mother of the teacher. "No, madame; your son will stand no chance. He obstinately persists in idleness." "Oh, but then," exclaimed the mother, "if that's so, you can give him a prize for perseverance."

Theatrical and Show Items.

Charlotte Cushman is in Boston.

Miss Katie Putnam is in Selma.

John Templeton is in Montgomery.

Joe Jefferson will visit Nashville soon.

The Oates burlesque troupe are in Texas.

Dan Rice's circus will visit the above city soon.

Rose and Harry Watkins are in Charleston.

Mrs. Moulton is giving concerts in Savannah.

The Lydia Thompson Troupe are in St. Louis.

Nilsson appears in Cincinnati on the 8th of January.

The Chapman Sisters are filling an engagement in Nashville.

Haight's Circus will visit Charleston the 1st week in January.

The Susan Galton Operetta Company are in Philadelphia.

The Windham Comedy Combination are to play in Louisville this week.

The Lingard company performed in Springfield, Illinois, last week.

Bishop, the comedian, has left the Wallack combination and is supporting Lotta.

Levities.

[CONDENSED FOR THE CONSTITUTION.]

A Detroit lady visited a menagerie and asked to be shown the Cranderango.

Tennessee sweet potatoes are so large that they use them for hitching posts.

Sliding down hill on a codfish is the winter amusement of New Bedford belles.

Bill Sykes was sweet on Nancy. Wirt Sykes was likewise on Olive Logan. Bill was hung and Wirt married. Such is the fate of the transgressor.

"Our children will have immense tax on their hands," said a gentleman. "Oh, horrible," exclaimed an elderly lady, "what a blessing we have nails on ours."

A thoughtful Danbury lady puts lard on the stoop when she wants her husband to stay home of an evening. Barring an hour or so devoted to rubbing his back, the time is pleasantly occupied.

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BY P. S. BALL.

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jan7—dtf

SNELLING HOUSE,

GREENESBORO.........GEORGIA

By Mrs. J. A. Snelling.

MEALS at all hours. Porters will attend the trains regularly. feb13-dtf

BARTOW HOUSE,

CARTERSVILLE.........GEORGIA

J. T. GUTHRIE, Proprietor.

NO pains or expense spared to render guests comfortable. Table supplied with the best the market affords. Attentive waiters; clean rooms. aug12-dtf

JOHNSON HOUSE,

BY MRS DR. JOHNSON,

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june12-dtf

BACON HOUSE,

LEXINGTON.........GEORGIA

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A REGULAR Two-Horse Hack will attend every day, to convey passengers from the Railroad to and from Lexington, Ga. sep11-dtf

THE KENNESAW HOUSE,

MARIETTA.........GEORGIA

HAS ample rooms for the accommodation of families. A large Verandah has just been added, together with other improvements, making it the most pleasant summer resort in the land. Hops will be given and amusements provided for.

june20-dtf FLETCHER & FREYER

THE MAJORS HOUSE,

BY E. MAJORS,

TRENTON.........GEORGIA.

He pledges himself his house will be kept in first rate style, and on moderate terms. nov21-dtf

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THIS HOTEL is the regular Eating House on the Macon and Western Railroad, and is convenient to the central part of the town. The house has been remodeled and refitted, and the table will always be supplied with the best fare which the market affords. The Proprietor will spare no pains or expense to please his patrons. Mrs. Hammett, (formerly Mrs. Watkins, of Palmetto,) is connected with the house, and would be pleased to see her old friends.

aug22— jan15—dtf

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CORNER ALABAMA AND PRYOR STREETS

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Passengers taken to and from the Depot FREE OF CHARGE.

dec4-tf LEON A. CARR, Clerk.

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J. A. STANSBURY, Proprietor.

THE above Hotel is located within Twenty Steps of the Railroad Platform, and convenient to the business portion of town. Servants polite and attentive to their respective duties. All baggage handled free of charge. Satisfaction guaranteed. jan29-dtf

HEARD HOUSE,

LaGrange.........Georgia.

BY GEORGE C. HEARD.

THIS House has been recently thoroughly renovated and refurnished. The tables always supplied with the best the market affords. Porters will be found at the Depot on every arrival of the Trains to take charge of baggage. feb25-dtf

Thomaston Hotel,

Thomaston,.........Georgia.

THE undersigned having taken charge of the above House, takes pleasure in announcing to the public generally that no effort will be spared to make it a first-class Hotel, and every effort will be made to give satisfaction to all who will favor him their patronage. Rates reasonable.

sep10-dtf H. T. JENNINGS, Proprietor.

GEORGIA HOTEL,

Dalton.........Georgia.

DR. B. B. BROWN, Proprietor.

THIS house is located immediately on the side of the Railroad, at the South End of the Passenger Depot.

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nov11-tf

MADISON HOUSE,

Madison, Georgia.

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oct14-tf W. C. QUINBY, Proprietor.

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Single Meal	50 cents	Per Day	$ 2 00
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june9-dtf STERLING ECKLES, Proprietor.

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Single Meals	$ 50	Two Weeks	$16 00
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Per Week	10 00		

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Good water here, and a fine, healthy climate, unsurpassed in North Georgia.

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june9-dtf W. J. BORN, Proprietor.

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MRS. A. S. WHITE, Proprietress.

R. T. WHITE, Manager. sep30-dtf

Railroads.

RAILROAD SCHEDULE.

ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE OF TRAINS.

Georgia Railroad.

DAY PASSENGER TRAIN.

Leaves Augusta	8.00 o'clock, A. M.
Leaves Atlanta	7.10 " A. M.
Arrives at Atlanta	6.20 " P. M.
Arrives at Augusta	5.40

NIGHT PASSENGER TRAIN.

Leaves Augusta	8.15 " P. M.
Leaves Atlanta	5.15 " P. M.
Arrives at Atlanta	6.40 " A. M.
Arrives at Augusta	3.47 " A. M.

Accommodation Train.

Leaves Atlanta	6 45 P. M.
Leaves Stone Mountain	6 30 A. M.
Arrives Atlanta	8 05 A. M.
Arrives Stone Mountain	8 15 P. M.

Macon and Western Railroad.

DAY PASSENGER—DAILY, SUNDAYS EXCEPTED.

Leaves Atlanta	2:00 A. M.
Leaves Macon	7:10 A. M.
Arrives at Atlanta	1:48 P. M.
Arrives at Macon	7:30 A. M.

NIGHT PASSENGER—DAILY.

Leaves Atlanta	1:10 P. M.
Leaves Macon	5:25 P. M.
Arrives at Atlanta	10:50 P. M.
Arrives at Macon	6:10 P. M.

Western and Atlantic Railroad.

NIGHT PASSENGER TRAIN—OUTWARD.

Leaves Atlanta	11:10 P. M.
Arrives at Chattanooga	6:16 A. M.

DAY PASSENGER TRAIN—OUTWARD.

Leaves Atlanta	6:00 A. M.
Arrives at Chattanooga	1:21 P. M.

NIGHT PASSENGER TRAIN—INWARD.

Leaves Chattanooga	5:29 P. M.
Arrives at Atlanta	1:30 A. M.

DAY PASSENGER TRAIN—INWARD.

Leaves Chattanooga	5:30 A. M.
Arrives at Atlanta	1:00 P. M.

ACCOMMODATION TRAIN—INWARD.

Leaves Dalton	1 00 A. M.
Arrives at Atlanta	10:00 A. M.

For Savannah via Macon and Western and Macon and Brunswick Railroad.

Leave Atlanta at	2:45 P. M.
Connect with the Macon and Brunswick Railroad at Macon at	8.30 P. M.
Arrive at Savannah	8:35 A. M.

Schedule of Rome Railroad.

DAY TRAIN.

Leave Rome	9:00 A. M.
Arrive at Kingston	10:30 A. M.
Leave Kingston	11:48 A. M.
Arrive at Rome	1:18 P. M.

NIGHT TRAIN.

Leave Rome	11:30 P. M.
Arrive at Kingston	12:00 A. M.
Leave Kingston	1:18 A. M.
Arrive at Rome	2:25 A. M.

St. Louis, Memphis, Nashville and Chattanooga Railroad Line.

Leaves Atlanta	8.15 o'clock, A. M.
Arrives at Chattanooga	5.30 " A. M.
Arrives at Nashville	8.45 " A. M.
Arrives at McKenzie	9.50 " A. M.
Arrives at Memphis	3.45 " P. M.
Arrives at Union City	11.30 " P. M.
Arrives at Columbus	12.42 " A. M.
Arrives at St. Louis	11.15 " P. M.
Leaves Atlanta	10.15 " P. M.
Arrives at Chattanooga	5.45 " A. M.
Arrives at Nashville	11.50 " A. M.
Arrives at McKinzie	
Arrives at Memphis	4.30 " P. M.
Arrives at Union City	9.10 " P. M.
Arrives at Columbus	10.40 " P. M.
Arrives at St. Louis	7.25 " A. M.

No change of cars from Chattanooga to Memphis. But one change from Chattanooga to St. Louis.

Savannah, Griffin and North Alabama Railroad.

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Arrives at Newnan	3 45 P. M.
Leaves Newnan	7 00 A. M.
Arrives at Griffin	9 47 A. M.

Connects at Griffin with Macon and Western Railroad.

Atlanta and West Point Railroad.

DAY PASSENGER TRAIN—(Outward.)

Leaves Atlanta	7 10 o'clock, A. M.
Arrives at West-Point	11 40

DAY PASSENGER TRAIN—(Inward.)

Leaves West-Point	12 45 o'clock, P. M.
Arrives at Atlanta	5 15

NIGHT FREIGHT AND PASSENGER.

Leaves Atlanta	3 00 o'clock, P. M.
Arrives at West-Point	10 45
Leaves West-Point	3 00 o'clock, A. M.
Arrives at Atlanta	10 07

Time 15 minutes faster than Atlanta City time.

Air-Line Railroad.

Leave Gainesville	6 00 A. M.
Arrive at Atlanta	10 00 A. M.
Leave Atlanta	3 00 P. M.
Arrive at Gainesville	6 42 P. M.

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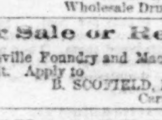

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Vicksburg	2:55 P. M.

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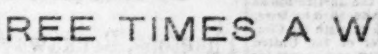

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ANDES INSURANCE COMPANY!

OCTOBER 25, 1871.

Cash on hand, in bank, and in transit	$[illegible]
Bonds—United States, State, City and County	market value [illegible]
Railroad Bonds	market value [illegible]
Collateral Loans	[illegible]
Accrued Interest	[illegible]
First Mortgages	[illegible]
Bills Receivable	[illegible]
Book Accounts, Premiums and Agency Balances	[illegible]
Amount from Stockholders by Assessment	500,000 00
Total Assets	$[illegible]

Chicago Losses - - - - - $850,000

In Process of Prompt Settlement.

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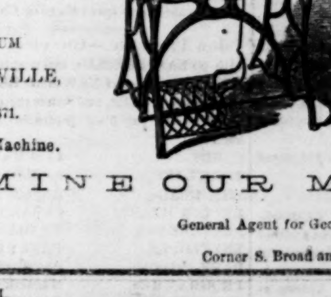

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2,500 bushels Pure White Fall Oats,	5,000 bushels Mixed and Yellow Oats,
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